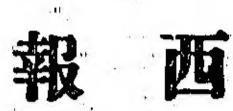




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NEW YORK, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-A crowd of over haif-a-million New Yorkers jammed the Times Square where the election results

were flashed up. Strong pro-Democrat, they booed Mr. Willkie's picture and cheered Mr. Roosevelt's. As 'the trend towards Mr. Roosevelt became clear they cheered themselves hoarse,

All 19,000 of New York's Police were on duty, but they were not busier than the firemen who attended hundreds of alarmschiefly to extinguish street bonfires started by election cele-

brants. Bars, closed until the polling was completed were swamped by parched and noisy customers.

# R.A.F. Now Stronger Than When War Began

weight of Britain's bombing attack through the grave times which on Germany "had increased and lie immediately ahead," was increasing and would continue A number of newspapers into increase," declared Sir Archi- cluding the pro-Willine organs. bald Sinclair, Secretary for Air, conceded Mr. Roosevelt's victory. speaking in Sheffield.

have invaded Britain by the end to make concessions. of September. So thought the world, but they were wrong." Against the cool courage of the civilian and the daring of the fighter squadrons and the dogged determination of workers, German air attacks have been in vain and the R.A.F. today was stronger than when the war began.

AT VERY ROOTS It would be a mistake to think they are only concerned to defend themselves against the German attack. They are attacking with bombers at the very roots of the Nazi power, giving the Germans in Berlin and other cities a strong taste of their own medicine.

Sir Archibald called for more young men as pilots and other members of bomber crews now that the training organisation has been expanded.

## ANXIETY LESSENED

#### FRENCH CARRIBEAN -POSSESSIONS

...Lessening the anxiety about the French possessions in the Carribean was indicated by Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, at a Press conference, who said that naval and other activities of the United part of the usual precautions.

with France and other countries election. with regard to commercial and other questions. He knew nothing that Mr. Roosevelt is carrying in- East. While we await the result special with regard to Martinique dustrial centres in Indiana by two of the election we pray for the and other French territory.

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LOTPEST

with the headline "Roosevelt re-elected President" and, in a leader, appealed to all Americans to support him in the critical days MARKED TREND

As 5 a.m. was approaching in New York, with excited election crowds jamming the streets, the trend towards Mr. Roosevelt became marked throughout the country as the national vote

reached the 9,000,000 mark. It was announced that Mr." Roosevelt led in the States with 449 electoral votes while Mr. Willkie led in the States with 82

electoral votes. Colonel Knox, Secretary of the Navy, broadcast a statement declaring that the "people of the United States, by a great majority, LONDON, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-The chose Mr. Roosevelt to lead them

but Mr. Willkie, after conferring The Nazis thought they would with his party advisers, refused

#### FAILED TO VUTE

For the first time in living memory, the Vice President of the "United States has failed to vote." Circumstances reflected " the changed situation between Mr. Roosevelt and Mr. John N. Garner his running mate in 1932 and

1936—since Mr. Garner during

the last two years became openly critical of the New Deal. This led to the coolness between the two and to the triumph the New Deal faction which secured the nomination for the

Vice-President of the Secretary Agriculture, Mr. Henry A. Wallace, at the Democratic Convention. CLINCHED CONTROL

Democrats clinched the control of the Senate as early results were announced They quickly won elections for nine seats which was added to the 44 "held over" to give them 53 seats agaist 49 needed for the majority, (Seats held over means seats not vacated).

elected to add to the "held over"

#### RECORD POLL

Mr. Roosevelt carried New York City by 727,000 votes on the record poll of over 95 per cent, of the electorate.

LIKELY TO WIN MASSACHUSETTS, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-The Democratic headquarters here announced last night States in those regions are only that President Roosevelt is likely to win that State by 150,000 votes, people The United States Government running from five to 15 per cent.

to one.

BRITISH SUPPORT FOR

# The 1 a.m. edition of the NEW YORK TIMES appeared

# Gains

#### Democrats PUI

Houses

DEMOCRATIC PRINCIPLE

future for several years.

did not develop on a large scale.

East Scotland, the Midlands and

the London area were among the

areas attacked but casualties were

Most of the buildings hit were

London had the longest nigh

raid hitherto, beginning earlier

and ending later than any pre-

private houses.

THE VICTORY OF PRESIDENT FRANKLIN DELANO ROOSEVELT IS NOW CONFIRMED, ACCORDING TO A LATE MESSAGE FROM I LONDON LAST NIGHT.

A MESSAGE FROM NEW YORK STATED THAT MR. ROOSEVELT HAD BEEN ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA FOR A THIRD TERM AND ADDED THAT MR. WENDELL WILLKIE, THE REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE, HAD CONCEDED HIS VICTORY AND TELEGRAPHED HIS CONGRATULATIONS TO MR. ROOSEVELT.

Final figures are not yet known but it is understood that Mr. Roosevelt's re-election will be by a potential majority.

The Democrats have also gained a big majority in both Houses.

It is estimated that individual voting gave Mr. Roosevelt a majority of over 4,000,000.

sidential candidate are in effort.

conformity with the mind of

The American Presidential election, in which Mr.

stantial majority, has been followed in Britain with more

general and keener interest than any previous Presidential

contest, including even that of 1916, says British Wireless.

also never been more impartial or detached. The reason

is that this year the issue which so deeply concerned the

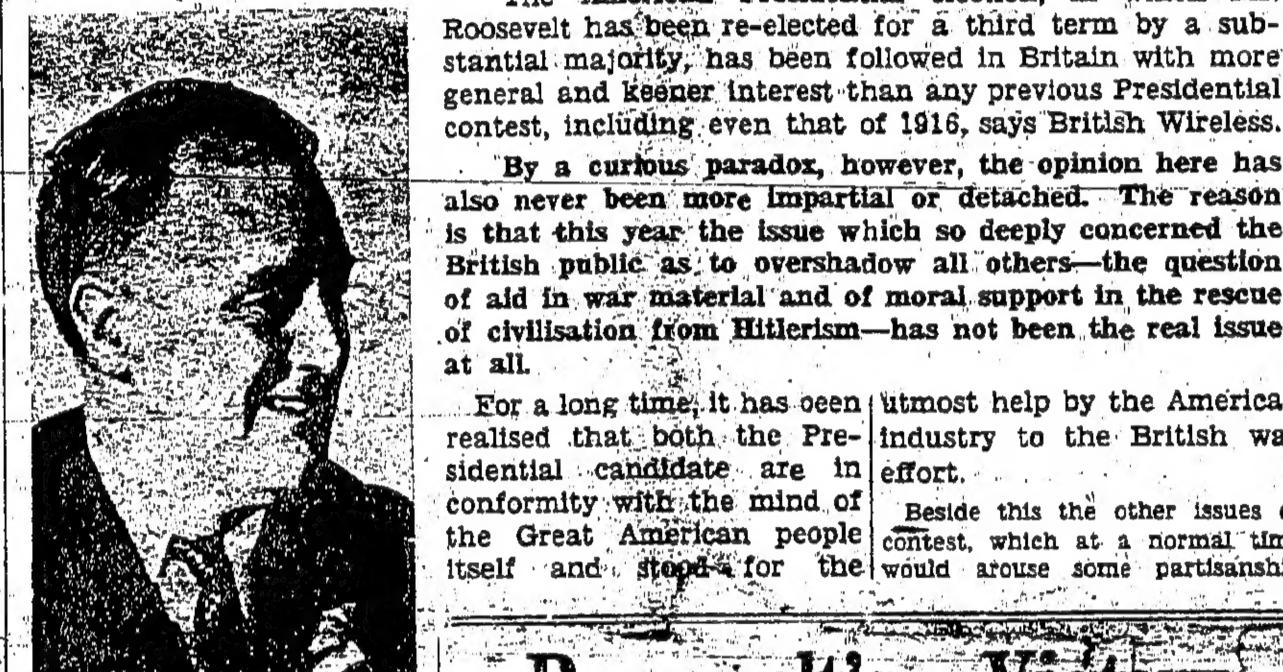
British public as to overshadow all others—the question

of aid in war material and of moral support in the rescue

of civilisation from Hitlerism—has not been the real issue

the Great American people contest, which at a normal time

By a curious paradox, however, the opinion here has



President Franklin D. Roosevelt elected "for a third term by a substantial majority;

# CHUNGKING FOR

CHUNGKING, Nov. 6 (Reu-, ter)-With the United States presidential election results expected today. Chinese imterest in the event is mount-

PRES. ROOSEVELT

In a leader on the subject the China Times declares: "From our viewpoint at the present time disturbed conditions in the Proific we hope President Roose-Three Republicans are hitherto velt will be re-elected so that he may see his programme through

> move the perils from Europe and Distress Fund will continue to the Far East but it will prevent operate from the Mansion House. the possibility of the United States proper being affected by the war... WISH OF AMERICANS

"We are confident that this also the wish of the American

"The election results will not

was carrying on conversations above his figures in the 1936 only be a purely American political issue but it may determine Mr. Edward Flynn announced the ultimate future of the Far Litture of the Far East."

## Roosevelt's Victory Welcomed All London Quarters

Beside this the other issues of

LONDON, Nov. 6 (Renter)-Mr. Roosevelt's victory is welcomed in all London quarters not because there is any feeling against Mr. Willkie nor any special predilection in favour of democratic as opposed the republic as the Party, but because the continuity of the administration is now assured.

There will be no loss of time which would have been entailed by a change in administration.

# Duke Of Gloucester's Fund

Lord Mayor of London's Red Cross responsible speaker has attempted and St. John's Ambulance Fund to take sides "Such action will not only re- while the Lord Mayor's Air Raid alluded to even indirectly.

The Duke of Gloucester's Red attitude has been somewhat Cross Fund now totals £3,344,000 while the Lord Mayor's Air Raid Distress Fund totals £1,400,000.

## -On Other-Pages

2 Softball notes; L.R.C. Tennis tourney; Navy Cup polo; Soccer review; Crossword puzzle.

Radio programmes; Com-Entreaty, and warning to fore world.

Junks held up off Nine Pins: Lord Beaverbrook's thanks. Leading articles: Roosevelt

Round the Police Courts;

to remain; Discretion the better part. A.R.P. orders: Shanghai goods held in Indo-China.

Watch on America's life line; London has nightlong alert period: Economic reconstruction project. Italian approval of Tangier

selzure; Assurances to U.S. Government.

#### It is realised that both candidates pledged themselves up to the hilt Privateto give Britain Maximum aid, short of actually entering the war. For this reason, the British Houses Are Press and radio comments, have been scrupulously fair and objective. "A tremendous amount of Bombed space was devoted to the election news, but the balance has been LONDON, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-The maintained absolutely even. No LONDON, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-Objectives in Germany and invasion

ports in German occupied territory will in the future be known as the Even the important fact that were attacked last night by air and also actively participate and Duke of Gloucester's Fund, and Mr. Willkie's action might entail craft of the Bomber Command, accontributions should be addressed the loss of time owing to the cording to an Air Ministry anto him at Saint James's Palace political changeover has not been enemy raids on Britain last night

AXIS ATTITUDE The German and Italian Press

Embarrassed" by the pro-British stand of both candidates. Axis not large. editors generally minimised importance of the election, quoted neutral opinions to show that Britain is banking on Mr. Roosevert's success and seriously be disappointed by Republican victory.

This oblique approach is clearly intended to serve the German radio propaganda purposes. The German chagrin at the result of the election will now be doubtless cheerfully concealed under an ing events; Cinema notes. | avalanche of quotations from the Smashing Greek assaults: Press, in countries under the Axis domination, to show that de-Marshal Petain; Choice be- mocracy in the United States has received another blow.

#### MARTIAL LAW IN CANTON

Martial law has been enforced in Canton since last Monday, according to reports that have been received by transportation concerns locally.

The reports state that Japanese troops have been posted at all Important centres in the city, including the Pearl River bridge. and pedestrians are being closely searched.

among a rather limited public tion, but its most essential charachere, according to the apparent teristic, as seen from Europe, correspondence of their own do- was exactly the fact that at no mestic political sympathies with point could anyone foretell with the programmes of the can-certainty the figures which this didates, have paled to insigni- great plebiscite would yield. ... It is that simple test which

marks it off from some recent The election has also been wel- "elections" on this side of the comed as a heartening demonstra- Atlantic in which a majority vote tion of the democratic principle. of anything from 94 to 99 per At the very moment when Britain cent. was a foregone conclusion is battling for freedom, 50,000,000 from the beginning. electors across the Atlantic has And it is to preserve that dif-

For a long time, it has seen utmost help by the American been voting—and what is the crux ference and all that underlies it realised that both the Pre- industry to the British war of the matter, has been voting in the moral strength of the State freely—on the programmes and and the opportunities of the policies which will determine their same development for its people that are upholders of freedom There have been many attempts everywhere are ranged against itself and stood for the would arouse some partisanship to forecast the result of the elec- totalitarian reaction in 1940, was that whoever won could not help winning a battle for freedom which would stand as an example and encouragement both to those who He oppressed under the Nazi domination and to those who are fighting under or alongside the, British flag in the war of libera-

#### IMMEDIATE REACTION

Reports indicate that the immediate reaction, following the election is the desire to sink the differences in favour of national unity and eradicate the bitterness aroused in the campaign. Leading newspapers, like the New

York Herald-Tribune and the New York Times, which have backed Mr. Willkie, urge the support of Mr. Roosevelt in his third term as a national rather than a Party. leader, and there is expectation that the defeated candidate will not be behind-hand in response to the appeal voiced among the orders by the "Secretary for the Navy, Colonel Frank Knox, who is himself a Republican, for the rally of all Parties behind the Administration in making the United States strong.

That is the national temper The communique adds that which the British recognise and

The first reports from Berlin and Rome suggest it is a temper which the totalitarians also recognise and which they fear.

A HEAVY POLL NEW YORK, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-A heavy poll in the Presidential

election was indicated as soon as voting began yesterday. Crowds Cont'd Page 7, Col. 5

#### TODAY'S WAR SUMMARY

election of Mr. Franklin D. Roosevelt as President for a third term by a substantial majority over the Republican candidate, Mr. Wendell Willkie. The result is warmly welcomed in all London quarters. It is estimated that individual votes for Mr. Roosevelt had a majority of over four million.

THE BRITISH EMPIRE RECORD for a forced march has been broken by South African troops in Kenya who covered 381 miles in 111 hours with only five hours rest.

A NEW SERIES OF FORTIFIED heights with semi-permanent defences on the western Macedonian front have been captured by the Greeks, according to a High Command communique issued in Athens. The Greek Air Force successfully bombed serodromes in Koritza.

IN A SPEECH IN SHEFFIELD, the Air Secretary, Sir Archibald Sinciair, declared that the weight of Britain's bombing attack on Germany would continue to increase. The R.A.F. was stronger today than when the war began.

FULLEST POSSIBLE SUPPORT for Greece is urged in the British Press comments on Mr. Churchill's speech in the House of Commons; The speech has given great satisfaction in Athens.

#### LONDON, Nov. 6 (Reuter)—The lion and go forward under our when and how to deliver their fullest British support for Greece selves to final victory." "Italy," adds the Times, "is is urged in the Press comments on conspicuously the weak spot Mr. Churchill's speech. in the construction of the Axis Remarking that clearly the and it is sound strategy to at-House of Commons was not al-

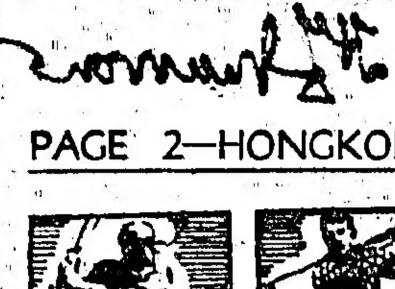
tack the enemy's weak spot together satisfied with the so general assurance as the Prime Min- whenever and wherever it is Churchill's speech has given very ister's declaration that the Government would do their best, THE TIMES, in a leader, emphasises the Italian move has aroused a "his words as an ally come that "It is manifestly of the ut- feeling throughout the country straight to our hearts." most importance not only for our that the opportunity for a coun- Particular enthusiasm was

prosecution, however long it may the House of Commons. shall be sustained in fighting a to the responsible command of South Italy.

blow, but Parliament and the people will be profoundly disturbed if the opportunity of selzing a local initiative is missed.

GREAT SATISFACTION ATHENS, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-Mr. great satisfaction here and an The appearance of hesitation of official spokesman declared that

credit in the critical episode of ter-nitack has arrived and this groused by Mr. Churchill's anthe war, but for the whole of its feeling was reflected yesterday in nouncement that Britain had begun bombing military objectives last that this vallant small people It would not presume to dictate in Italian cities and bases in









# SOFTBALL UPSET

# Fielding: Panthers

MAKING A DELAYED START ON A GROUND THAT HAD BEEN SOAKED WITH OVERNIGHT RAIN, local softballers last Sunday served up a programme that will be long remembered for its many close finishes and the high standard of play attained. "

Commencing the six-game schedule, the Wildcats and the Baby Panthers battled to a 10-7 decision, in favour of the former, after five frames of exciting play. The losers led 6-4 up to the fourth and looked likely to provide an upset, only to have the Wildcats come from behind with a six-run rally on five hits to reverse the advantage.

opponents score down to a respect-

The Canadian girls, though, in-

cluded in their bag, circuit clouts

by Jean Lee and Sally Wong and

doubles by Alice Ma "and Elvie

HIGHLIGHT OF PROGRAMME

The highlight of the day's

play was the clash between

the Recreio Aces and " the

Hongkong Baseballers which

resulted in the Aces sustain-

ing their first league defeat in

outhit the winners 9-7.

by May Chung.

about two years.

Hank Sperry in the sixth.

SACRIFICE FLY

Cy Crews dented the pan on

Leight's sacrifice fly in the final

frame to give the Baseballers their

slim lead, which was held as Hank

Sperry's peg from centre-field

nailed Zinho Gosano who was driv-

ing for the plate with what would

The fielding of the Club

gang, especially that of Leight,

Sperry and Pete Fitch, was the

subject of many enthusiastic

comments heard from the fans

after the game and their next

appearance is keenly awaited.

Ed Jones and Macy Edwards

did mound duty for the win-

ners, the latter appearing to be

the more effective, but the

Waggoner outfit were surpris-

ALVARES FLIGHTY

bail to have won but lost their

chances as runner after runner

was nipped at the plate. Johnny

Alvares was hard to hit but con-

ceded five walks and will have to

steady down when his club clashes

with St. Joseph's this coming

Sainday. Johnny Wonsecs handled

seven chances without error

efforts were good for two bags.

ALL-INDIAN DERBY

The Aces played good enough

ingly weak with the hickory.

have been the tying run.

The Banther Kittens struggled a 10-5 triumph over the Chung gamely to score once again but Hwa rookies who, however, must be were still three tallies behind when congratulated on keeping their the last out was cafled.

None of the winners recognised able level. to Dolly Brown to register their before the game, that the Canuconly extra base clout with a kettes would register one of those double. Thelma Collaco again thirty-odd scores for which they hurled steady ball to hold the op- are well-known so that the Chung position to five hits of which two Hwa feat can be considered almost were doubles by Hilda Soares and a moral victory, especially as they Celeste Marques...

In holding the Wildcats to 10 safeties, of which nine were mere singles, Lelia Xavier turned in the most promising hurling display of the ladies. matches, although it must be admitted that her team-mates afförded her every support.

HIGH-SCORING FRACAS The Wahoos and the Ramblerettes staged a high-scoring iracas that ended with the Green Owls on the long end of a 28-20 count, after taking hitting honours with 22 safeties to 12. Neither squad impressed in the field, the Owls committing 11 and the losers 12 to chalk up a total of 23 bobbles for the game.

Big hitters were Irene Castilho and Jackie Anderson who garnered triple-baggers, I. Castro and Beebun Abbas who were good for twobaggers. The pitching on both sides was steady but terribly ineffectual and suffered badly from lack of support.

SPOTLESS AVERAGE The Canadian Chinese lassles retained their spotless average with

#### ADVERTISEMENT

#### THE MACAO JOCKEY CLUB.

The November Race Meeting be held at Areia Preta, Macao, on Sunday, 10th November, 1940, commencing at 3.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 2.30 p.m.

Admission to Members' Enclosure: "\$1: Public Stand: 50 cents,

By Order,

T. A. MARTIN & CO.,

Secretaries & Treasurers. Hong Kong, 6th November, 1940

#### HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB:

Draft Programmes and Entry centre field, while Zinho Gosano Forms for the Eleventh Extra also gave a clever defensive dis-Race Meeting to be held on play at the keystone cack. Saturday, 16th November, 1940 the hitters with a triple and two san. (Weather permitting) may be bingles no other player on either House, Happy Valley; the Hong Kong Club; The Sports Club; and the Stables. Shan Kwong In the keenly contested All-

NOON on THURSDAY, 7th 10 tailles to 8, after having had ing six in the November, 1940.

By Order,

588 as the result of singles by Nazarin batting honours with three bingles.

Control Of Crowds At

Soccer Matches To The Editor, Hongkong Daily Press

cently for bad management to by the odd goal, write to you on the fine arrangeramp, but none have written.

Mr. Walter Hanming Chen, the scored for the Cissies. Hon. Gen. Sec. of the South China A. A. gave his solemn word that something would be done and it was done to everybody's satisfaction. The arrangements were almost perfect and I am sure everysluggers came off and it was left The general opinion had been, body appreciated what was done. Congratulations to Mr. Chen

> and his committee. SOCCER FAN.

# Tourney Aids Yuen, while the only Chung Hwa War Fund

An enjoyable Tournament was held at the Ladies' Recreation Club on Sunday. Forty members were present and as a result of the afternoon's activities the sum of \$754 was contributed to the South China Morning Post War Fund.

Messrs. John D. Hutchison & Co., presented tennis balls, Messrs. Fielding most the well-known A. S. Watson & Co., Messrs, Caldbaseballing Mohawks Manager beck, MacGregor & Co., Ltd., and Waggoner shocked the lens and Messrs, Janine, Matheson & Co., 5 the Portuguese boys by nosing Litd., drinks, and members prizes through to a 5-4 victory after and tea. having been led most of the dis-

Miss B. Smedley and Mr. M. Pagh were winners, with Miss J. 12 Smell Matching the Baseballers run for Armstrong and Mr. D. Murdoch 13 Wing run in the first two frames, the and Miss Lambert-Baker and Mr. Aces took a two run lead through A. S. Allson runners-up.

tallies scored by Nick Beltrao and On adjournment to the Club Tony Alves in the third. The Club House for well earned refreshreduced the margin with a marker ment, the used balls, uncut cakes by Larry Sells in the fourth and and unopened drinks were auc- 17 evened the count with another by tioned off, very satisfactory bids being received.

Details of the afternoon's takings were as follow: Entrance 19 Frighten Fees. \$108; Donations \$285.26; Sale of Drinks, \$38.65; Tray presented. \$40; Auction, \$281.50.

#### ARMY CRICKET AT SOOKUNPOO

In a friendly game at Sookunpoo yesterday the Royal Army 31 Footlike Medical Corps beat the Royal Army Ordnance Corp. by two

R.A.O.C. 58 runs (Pinder 10 Haskins 13, Jeffrey 10. Harrison 33 3 for 8, Bright 6 for 18).

R.A.M.C. 75 for 8 wickets (Webb 50. Boocock 4 for 43, Haskins for 36).

Magnificent bowling by Spr. Tropp, who took five wickets for 35 runs, enabled Royal Engineers 36 to beat Royal Artillery by 15 runs in a friendly cricket match played 37 at Sookunpoo on Tuesday.

Royal Engineers: 70 for 8 wkts. 40 Organ stop dec, (Spr. Bailey 25 retired, Clague 41 Rowing 4 for 24, T. A. Pearce 1 for 6, Ward for 8), Royal Artillery: 55 42- Bathe (Barsby 22, Spr. Tropp 5 for 7, Sgt. 44 What Denyer 2 for 18).

and Babe Abbas, followed by a Eddie Gosano, as usual, paced slashing homer by "Savage" Has-

lke Haroon paced the winning obtained at the Secretary's Office, side connecting more than once, batters, with 3-in-4, although Exchange Building; the Club although Leight's and Crews' Abbas K. Rumjahn, Bakar and Markar each connected twice.

TWO DOUBLE-KILLINGS There was little of note in the Indian derby match, the Cyclones Chinese Baseballers-Filipino Club 51 Man's upset earlier prognostications by clash, the Chinese registering an at 12 o'clock downing the Indian Softballers by easy 11-5 victory after tallythe best of the game in every as- frames. The Filipino boys were triers, and effected two neat The more experienced Indian double-killings, but were unable to outfit were never in the hunt, al- hold the whners for whom Wilson though they staged a fighting homered and John Fisher doubled Secretary. four-run rally in the last stones, and tripled. Denham Crary took

## Baskets Lead In Navy Cup Polo Tourney

Baskets took the lead in the Navy Cup Polo Tournament yesterday when they beat Cissies at Boundary Street by seven goals to

Cissies, who received a goal, led Sir,-I have been waiting for through the first three chukkers, some of your readers who criti- but a succession of goals in the cised the South China A. A. re- final chukker gave Baskets a win

Major W. B. Wilson scored four ments taken by the Association goals for the Baskets, the other ast Saturday in handling the members of the team, scoring a crowd and preventing the ticket goal each. Captain T. W. Chattey (4) and Major R. J. L. Penfold

The teams: BASKETS: Lt. E. A. Bompas (0), No. 1; Capt. W. H. P. Chattey (2), No. 2: Major W. B. Wilson (5), No. 3; and Capt. A. G. Atkinson (1). No. 4. Total Handicap: 8.

CISSIES: Capt, R. J. F. A. Lawder (0), No. 1; Major R. J. L. Penfold (3), No. 2: Capt. T. W. Chattey (4), No. 3; and Capt. B. G. Yeatman (0), No. 4. Total Handi-

> TOURNAMENT TABLE Goals

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#### ARMY SMALL UNITS HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

#### 5TH A.A. DEFEAT ENGINEERS

During the first half in their match against 5th A.A., in the Army Small Units Hockey Tourney, at Sookunpoo yesterday, R.E. played a very scrappy game to allow the Ack-Acks to lead by 3-2.

On resumption after the interval, the Engineers displayed their real form. Their stick work was near perfect, whilst their passing was a treat.

Shaw worked like a trojan, and, within five minutes of the second

The Ack-Acks, on the other quite well together but minus Lee landers. hand, seemed unable to pass the Wai-tong did not look as dangerdefence of the Engineers. ..

5TH A.A.: - Breddick; Amor Singh, Dalip Singh: Mohamed 7 the whole. Din, Rahmat Khan, Karan Singh; Kundan Singh, Sardara Singh, between the teams in the other Abdul Rahman, Mustan Singh and departments. At back Lee Kwok-Ghulam Ali,

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#### SOCCER REVIEW

ROYALS UNLUCKY NOT TO DRAW WITH SING TAO

#### Position In Interesting Senior League BY "PILAT"

The main feature of last week's programme was the South China-Eastern clash on Saturday and the result, a draw, has added more interest to the League table. Both teams are within striking distance of Sing Tao, only undefeated team in the Senior Division and who were rather lucky to take full points against Royal Scots.

South China and Eastern started draw, came a cropper when they at a gruelling pace which slacken- met Middlesex the "Diehards," half, scored three goals in succes- ed somewhat in the second half. who, with long sweeping passes,

Dobson, in the Engineers' goal, chi was noticed to be limping and brought off a few brilliant saves. this probably affected his play but The final scores was R.E. 8, 5th he scored a grand equalising goal. On the day's showing, Eastern's

There was very little to choose wai was off-form and it was just R.E.:-Dobson: Crosten. Good- as well that Lau Hing-choi more win; Boyling: Marriott, Whittaker; than held his own against that

ROYALS UNLUCKY

Royal Scots were extremely unlucky in not sharing the spolls with Sing Tao on Sunday when 5.30 p.m. they lost by three goals to two. The Scots played an excellent axed a minute in their determined efforts to keep the Chinese at bay.

-For a greater part of the game the Scots' halves constantly fed Hossack with high passes despite the fact that he was well marked SPORTING FIXTURES by Leung Wing-chiu.

SLOW AFFAIR

register an outright victory, held Navy to a draw at Causeway Bay. The game was a slow affair with neither side attempting anything spectacular.

For the first time this season Kwong Wah fielded an all-Chinese eleven and, as in previous games, started well only to fizzle out slowly.

CLUB SURPRISE

Club surprised with a good display on Saturday when they defeated Police, who were at full strength, by four clear goals. Fowler was played at right-wing and with Riertsen, formerly of Kowloon, on the left, Club. were well served on the wings. Fowler was later moved back to centre and scored two goals.

KOWLOON FALL Kowloon, who held the strong Eastern eleven two weeks ago to a

South China's attack worked proved too much for the main-

Kowloon were again well served ous as previously. Chow Man- by their defence but their attack could do nothing right.

ARMY TRIAL

The Army trial football match. ttack was a better combination scheduled for Sookunpoo yesterday, was, postponed to Nov. 20.

#### H.K.F.A. COUNCIL MEETING

a meeting of the Hongkong Football Association Council will be held in the Association's office on Wednesday, Nov. 13.

Business: Minutes of Council Meeting No. 4: Minutes of League game throughout and never re- Management Committee Meeting No. 6; Emergency Sub-Committee minutes No 1 & 2: Accounts: Any other business

# TODAY

Kwong Wah, who have yet to CHESS - Kowloon Chess Club Senior Championships, Weiss v. Sequeria, Samuel v. Coxhead, Yvanovich v. Karpovich, Lee v. Biriukoff, Olsufleff v. Barnett, Evans v. Carvalho.

> GOLF. - Annual: Meeting Ladies' Section of Royal Hongkong Golf Club (Helena May Institute) 10.30 a.m.

WIMMING. - European Y. M. C A Winter Season. Swimming Instruction Classes.

TOMORROW

MEETING. — Annual General, of the Hongkong Badminton Association, in the Board Room of the South China Morning Post Building 6 p.m.

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TO.MORROW :- "CAREFREE"

A middle school for overseas A party of Indian Muslim lead- called "China's Florence Nighting Songs Medley-Reginald Foort." Chinese students will shortly be ers originally expected to arrive in gale" or the "mother of wounded strumental - Falling In Love With donation of C\$200,000 contributed 10 have now postponed their trip October 5, reports the Chinese Sentimental Over You (Baffman) by Chinese in British Malaya. The until the end of November, accord- American Daily News. -building is now being constructed ing to a wire received by Dr. Chu Chiang was director of the

under the auspices of the board Chia-bua, Minister of Organisation branch of the Child Welfare As London Relay-The News and F. K. Farmer officiated in the last of directors at a site in Yungting of the Koumintang.

#### COMING EVENTS

7-Tides: High 1.28 a.m. and 5.2 p.m. Low 9.30 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunrise: 6.31 a.m.; Sunset: 5.43 p.m. Kowloon Chess Club Senior Cham-

pionships. Victoria Chess Club, Gloucester Hotel, 5 p.m. H.K. Y's Men's Club Timn Meeting.

Y.M.C.A.: Variety Entertainment in aid of B.W.O.F., 9.15 p.m.

Cheero Club, Bridge and Mahjong class for beginners, 8 p.m. St Andrew's Church Meeting to discuss further plans for Garden

Party, 8.30 p.m. Royal H.K. Golf Club, Ladies' Sec-Annual Meeting, Helena May Inst., 10.30 a.m.

Mrs. Lechmere Clift's Bible Class, 1st Floor, 9, Hillwood Road, 10.30 a.m. St. Andrew's Fellowship Committee Meeting, 6.30 p.m.; Bridge Evening. St. Stephen's Girls' College, Annual

Speech Day, 5 p.m. Entries close for H.K. Jockey Club's Eleventh Extra Race Meeting, 12 noon, St. Andrew's Working Party (Medi-

8-Tides: High 3 a.m. and 6.20 p.m. Low 10.30 a.m. and 10.40 p.m. Sunrise: 6.32 n.m.; Sunset: 5.43 p.m. H.K. Chamber Music Club, Concert at Government House, 9.15 p.m. Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.)

Govt. House, 9 a.m.—12 noon. Dance at H.K. Hotel in aid of B.W. O.F., 9.15 p.m. H.E.", the Acting Governor to visit

School for the Deaf, at 43, Kaiyan Road, Kowloon, H.K. Badminton Assn. Meeting, 6 p.m.

Cheero Club, Darts and Table Ten-Crown Land Sale, D.O. South, 11

Meeting of Husbands and Relatives of Evacuees, Peninsula Hotel, 7 p.m. 9-Tides: High 4.35 a.m. and 6.52

p.m. Low 11.22 a.m. Sunrise: 6.32 a.m.; Sunset: 5.42 p.m. Cathedral · Fete. La Salle College Old Boys' Assn. Reunion Dinner, Cafe Wiseman, 8

H.K. Students' Relief Assn. Cabaret la); Imagination (Housen)-"Hutch" Dance, Peninsula Hotel, 9 p.m. St Paul's Girls' College Speech

Day, 3 p.m. 10-Tides: High 5.51 a.m. and 7,20 p.m. Low 12.05 a.m. and 12.05 p.m. Sunrise: 6.33 a.m.; Sunset: 5.42 p.m. H.K. Golf Club, Jasper Clark Cup. Lecture on Religious Education. Chinese Y.M.C.A., Kowloon,

Macao Races... Claims against estate Dubois due. International Marathon Race, Kow-

loon, 9 a.m. YM.C.A. Discussion Group, 9 p.m. Country Golf Club, Sheungshiu, His Orchestra. Annual "At Home."

Model Aeropiane Contest, Waterloo Road IV a.m. 11-Tides: High 6.58 a.m. and 7.43 p.m. Low 12.58 a.m. and 12.42 p.m.

Remembrance Day. Charity Soccer Match. Ladies' Working Party (B.W.O.F.

Govt. House, 9 a.m.-12 noon. 12-Tides: High 7.50 a.m. and 8.0p.m. Low 1.40 a.m. and 1.19 p.m. Sunrise: 6.34 a.m.; Sunget: 5.41 p.m. Kowloon Chess Club Junior Cham-

plonships. H.K. Rotary Club Tiffin Meeting,

Annual Army Rowing Regatta, Stonecutters. Crown Land Sale, P.W.D., 3 p.m.

## COMEDY DRAMA AT KING'S

#### "His Girl Friday

"The fastest-talking picture on record" is Hollywood's description of Howard Hawks' new Columbia picture, "His Girl Friday," which stars buoyant Cary Grant and beautiful Rosalind Russell at the King's Theatre today with Ralph Bellamy in a major featured role. The romantic comedy drama, according to sound experts, hits down (film The Girl from the Golden a new speed pace for fast crossfire talk.

a minute during ordinary conversation; that court reporters are considered competent to meet any emergency if they can transcribe 140 words a minute and that the late Floyd Gibbons, ploneer in the fast-talking news commentator field, barked 240 words a minute. Grant, Miss Russell and Bellamy maintain a pace between 175 and 250 words a minute in "His Gir

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# Radio Programmes

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"THURSDAY, NOV. 7, 1805" TALK FROM STUDIO Studio Items

12.15 p.m. Short Service of Inter-12.30 Dance Music by Roy Fox

His Orchestra. Fox-Trots - You Took The Words Right Out Of My Heart; Thanks for the Memory (both from 'The Big Broadcast of 1938'). Slow Fox-Trots LTwo. Shadows (from the film);" I Won't Tell A Soul. Fox-Trots-Don't. Ever Change (film 'Rhythm in the Clouds'): You're a Sweetheart (from the film). Waltz - Seal It With A Kiss (film 'That Girl from Paris'); Fox-Trot - The Night Is Your, and You're so Beautiful. Fox-Trot-Souvenir of Love (film 'Sailing along')

1.00 Local Time Signal and Weather Report. 1.03 Cicely Courtneidge in

Variety Programme. Comedian-Mary from the Dairy; The Woman Improver - Max Miller tal. 2201 hours. with Orchestra. Vocal and Talking-The Little Toy Train (Hulbert)-Cicely Courtneldge with Orchestra. Piano - Three Dances in Syncopation (Mayeri)—(i) English Dance: (ii) Cricket Dance: (iii) Harmonica Dance -Billy Mayerl. Vocal-The Empire Depends on You (from Under your hat'): \*Keep It Under Your Hat (from 'Under your hat') - Cicely Courtneldge - \*Cicely Courtneldge, Jack Hulbert and The Rhythm Bros. Vocal-They Call Me A Dreamer (Po-

(Leslie Hutchinson) at the Piano. 1.36 Reuter & Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements. -1.45 Derek Oldham (Tener), and Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

Always ('Puritan Lullaby'-Dyrenforth and Smith); Castles in the Air. (Ross-Lincke) - Derek Oldham (Tenor) with Orchestra. Viennese Memories of Lehar (arr. Henry Hall) - Marek Weber and His Orchestra. Come Sing to Me (Thompson)—Derek Oldham (Tenor) with Orch, Liszt Potpourn (Urbach)-Marek Weber &

2.15 Close down.

6.00 Closing Local Stock Quota-6.02 Latest Dance Music.

Fox-Trot - Irene (from the film): Sunrise: 6.34 a.m.; Sunset: 5.42 p.m. Waltz-Alice Blue Gown (film 'Irene') Wayne King and His Orchestra. Swing Fox-Trots-You, You Darlin'; So Far, So Good-Duke Eilington and His Orchestra. Slow Fox-Trots -Moonlight and Mimosa; When Dream of Home-Joe Loss and His Orch. Quicksteps"- Sweet Little Sweetheart: No Mama, No-Joe Loss and His Orchestra. Fox-Trots - Give Out: 'Neath the Shanty Town Moon -The Six Swingers. Slow Fox-Trots -Don't You Ever Cry; Too Romantic

(film 'Road to Singapore')—Billy Cotton and His Band. Rumba Fox-Trots -African Lament-Don Azpiazu and His Orchestra; Mama Inez-Havana Novelty Orchestra, Fox-Trot-Floogie Walk (from 'Cotton Club Parade') Blues - The Ghost of Smoke Joe (from 'Cotton Club Parade')-The Six Swingers. Fox-Trot - Wot'cher. Me Old Cock Sparrer-Jack Payne and His Band. Waltzes - Vienna Folk: Schonbrunner-Harry Horlick and His makes ner movie bow in Elsa

Orchestra. 7.00 London Relay-The News. 7.15 London Relay-Topical Talks: 'Questions" of the Hour.'

with Nelson Eddy (Baritone). Hey Gypsy, Play Gypsy ('Countess

Maritza' - Kaiman); Dearest Love ('operetta' - Coward)-Leslie Jeffries and His Orchestra Sun-Up to Sun-West')-Nelson Eddy (Baritone) with Orchestra. Victoria Regia: Waltz

Pinale (both from Suite: "The Won-Lodge Cunningham, in charge der, of the Flowers-Kunneke)-Grand of the sound recording for the Symphony Orchestra. Thy Beaming film, points out that the average Eyes, Op. 40, No. 3 (Gardner-Macperson will not exceed 80 words Dowell); Sylvia (Scollard-Speaks) Le Petit Capitaine (Raquelle) Tres Jolle (Jeffries)-Leslie Jeffries & His Orchestra.

8.00 Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements. 8.03 Studio-Jazz Piano Recital by Hal Lorenzo.

8.20. A Short Variety Programme. Vocal-A Tea-Time Concert Party (Harrington) - Wilfrid Thomas: Noreena Feist: Emmle Joyce and Cecil Harrington with Orchestra. Violin-In My Heart-Hungarian Melody (Misraki)-Georges Tzipine with

established in Foochow with a Chungking from India before Oct. soldiers," died in Chungking on You (Kahn and Others); I'm Getting Pahslenjao Cemetery. Shanghal. 845 Studio-Local Newsletter

9.30 Studio-Talk: "Thursday, Nov. 1805" " by Commander Richard Airey, R.N.

9.45 Violin Recital by Efrem Zim-

Romance in G (Beethoven, Op. 40) -with Orchestra. After Sundown (Scott); The Zephyr (Hubay, Op." 30, No. 5)-with Piano.

10.00 Verdi's "Rigoletto" Acts II &

Characters and Soloists in order of appearance: The Duke of Mantun-Dino Borgioli (Tenor); Rigoletto, his jester - Riccardo Stracciari (Bari-Count Monterone - Duilio Baronti (Baritone); Gilda, daughter of Rigoletto - Mercedes Capsir (Soprano); Sparafucile, a bravo-Ernesto Dominici (Bass); Maddalena, sister of Sparafucile - Anna Masetti Bassi (Contralto) and Chorus of La Scala, Milan with The Milan Symphony Or-

11.00 Close down.

#### MONTHLY REPORT

The monthly broadcasting report for October, 1940, states that actual hours of transmission totalled 4373 of which 2202 were devoted to European Programmes and 217 to Chinese Programmes.

#### ZBW (EUROPEAN)

Morning transmission, 671 hours; evening transmission, 153; hours, To-

Apart from recorded programmes the following items were broadcast:-Studio recitals 8: Studio talks 15: Local relays (including Church Services) 6: Sunday evening epilogues 4; Daventry relays (including news) 100 ZEK (CHINESE)

Morning transmission, 62 hours; Evening transmission, 155 hours. Total 217 hours.

Apart from recorded programmes the following items were broadcast:-Studio concerta 23; Studio talks 29; Children's concerts 9.

New licenses issued during Oct. 1940, 305; renewals of licenses during Oct. 1940, 476; total licenses issued during 1940, 12,413.

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#### HOTEL FOR WOMEN

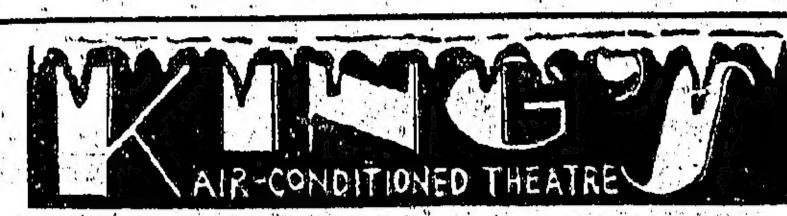
#### MAJESTIC THEATRE ATTRACTION

Elsa Maxwell, the life of a million parties, is coming to town world-famous personality Maxwell's "Hotel For Women," the Cosmopolitan production for 20th Century-Fox, which tells the gay, exciting story of a world of girls 7.30 Light Orchestral Programme on their own, opening tomorrow at the Majestic Theatre.

> El.a. who has been everywhere, seen everything and been confidante to society debs and chorusgirls, gives these smart, beautiful young things a new siant, on life. She believes in taking the light things seriously and the serious things lightly and she teaphes them to do the same.

Production Chief Darryl Zanuck selected lovely Linda Darnell the sensational new Hollywood Uinderella girl, to make her screen debut in a leading femining role with a cast which also features Ann Sothern, James Ellison. Jean Rogers. Lynn Barl, June Gale Joyce Compton; Elsa herself, John Halliday, Katharine Aldridge, Alan Dinehart and Sidney

In the presence of many relatives and old friends the remains of the late Miss laid to rest on Oct. 28 at the In the morning a Requiem Mass was celebrated at St. Pierre's Church on Avenue Dubail. Father





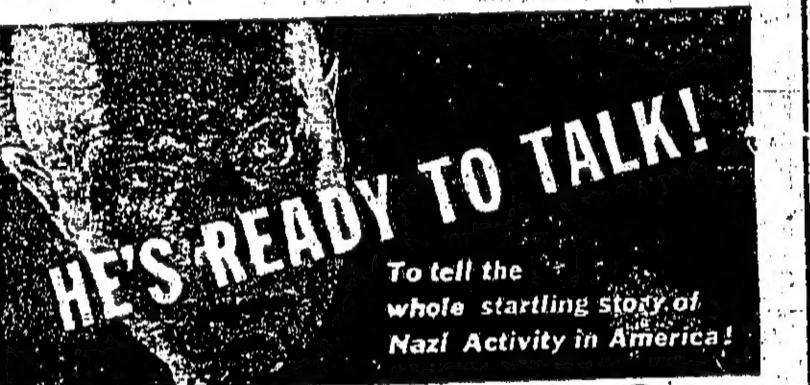
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BRITISH WAR ORGANISATION FUND for the work of Toc. H. with the Home Forces. Thursday, November 7th, 1940. at 9.15 p.m.

SMASHING GREEK ASSAULTS ON BIG ITALIAN FORCE KORITZA: ENCIRCLED ON CENTRAL

ATHENS, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-With bayonets and hand-grenades. Evzones are reported to Be smashing the Italian defences ringing Koritza whose fall would not only upset Italy's strategic plans but would be bound to have an important effect on the morale of the Albanians, already restless under the Italian yoke.

At the other end of the front Greek bombers successfully attack ed Argyrocastro, the base which feeds Italy's drive into the coastal area of Epirus.

The encirclement of a considerable Italian force operating on the "Central Front is said to be proceeding in accordance to plan. Elsewhere it is understood all recent Greek gains have been held.

Particularly good work had been day, done by Greek sappers in rushing light guns over the steep mountain country which forms the background of this "David and Goliath" war.

ITALIANS SURPRISED The Italians have frequently since. been taken by surprise as a result of the rapidity of manoeuvre achieved by these units.

It is announced that not a single military objective has been hit during Italian air raids on Greece since the start of the war.

King George yesterday visited the damaged area in Piracus, the port of Athens, which was heavily bombed in the morning when Athens had its longest alert of the

OBSERVERS IMPRESSED been deeply impressed by the bases. sober caution of Greek official err on the side of moderation.

The Greek authorities are extremely anxious to avoid creating any feeling of over-confidence and London yesterday evening of acforeign correspondents have been tion on the Epirus front, beyond, urged to avoid any temptation to a statement that Greek planes exaggerate Greek successes which have made heavy attacks on can speak for themselves.

GREEKS CAPTURE VILLAGE LATEST BLOW to Italy's hopes of a swift advance into Greece is the capture by the Greeks of the village of Zimpai Waere, on Lake Chrid, according to information received in Beigrade last evening from the Greek-Yugoslav frontier.

Many of the Italian soldiers captured by the Greeks, it was added, complain of having been "betrayed by the Albani-

made yesterday in an official com- the martial virtues. munique issued in Athens.

weapons.

House of Lords.

DIRAEUS BOMBED

Six heavy Italian bombers raided Diracus and Phaleron Bay yesterday morning. Four Greek lighters drove off the raiders, none of whose bombs hit military objectives.

The fact that the town of Corfu is an open town and the Island a demilitarised island was emphasised in a cable from Athens to the Greek Legation in London yester-

CORFU DEMILITARISED The cable recalls that when Britain ceded Corfu to Greece under the treaty of 1864 one condi-

tarised and it has remained so ever The Legation declares that the Italians on Monday bombed towns and small villages where there were no military

objectives in addition to Corfu. "Reports continue to reach the Legation of the extremely high spirit of the people in bombed areas. They state: "It has strengthened rather than weakened under bombardment."

KORITZA SHELLED

Greek artillery has started to shell the Albanian town of Koritza, Foreign observers here have one of the most important Italian

It is confirmed in Athens that a communiques which, if anything, body of Italian troops has been cut" off in one sector and is in difficulties.

There was little fresh news in Italian concentrations on the coast west of Yanina.

CONFIDENT IN ATHENS The Greek press in Athens yesterda/ struck a generally confident note about the Italo-Greek con-

Prola, for instance, says: "Eight days have sufficed to prove to the enemy that he has deceived him-

"Now he must surely know. that we are holding him and he must fight to the end."

The "Eleftheron Vima" says The claim that Greek detach- "Our soldiers know that the enemy ments have attacked and occupied is embarrassed by numerous fronts a height in Albanian territory was and is, in any case, not famous for

"They also know that Greece and At various points the Greeks her allies are strong with inexhausmade prisoners and captured mor- tible resources and indomitable tars, machine-guns and other spirit, They have faith in their

ENTREATY & WARNING

TO MARSHAL PETAIN

Petain's difficulties was expressed by the Foreign Minister: Lord

Hallfax, in a speech on the current diplomatic situation before the

may hope to gain for France by entering the path of co-operation

with Germany, we cannot believe that a government headed by a

man of honour like him would commit France to a course which

"We have repeatedly rejected have the example of Rumania's

would be a stab in the back of her former ally.

enemy suggestions for an agree- fate before their eyes."

LONDON, Nov. 6 (Reuter)—Sympathetic understanding of Marshall

Lord Halifax declared, however, that whatever Marshal Petain

# CHOICE BEFORE WORLD

#### Times On Democratic. Totalitarian Ideals

LONDON, Nov 6 (Reuter)-The choice before the world today, say THE TIMES, lies between the kind of power which has manifested itself in all its naked terror tion was that it should be demili- "in Nazi Germany and, only less crudely among the Nazi imitators and satalites and the kind of power which expresses itself in hopes and ideals of the British Commonwealth of Nations and the United States.

The conception popularised by Germany and Japan, the Times continues, of continental blocs, is wholly artificial and has no root in economic realities.

It may be rash to assure that any international order which we may be able to establish after the war will be coterminous with the world. But it cannot at any rate be limited by the continents.

The British Commonwealth has never allowed itself to be circumscribed by geographical limitations precisely because it has never claimed to be a geopraphical bloc.



To the rovers who steered by the stars every storm cloud was a menace. Today, a future steered. just by hope and desire is at the mercy of the

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return and large numbers which but it is officially stated must have crashed at their bases. adverse weather conditions did The Foneign Minister expressed not pennit the usual heavy scale the warmest admiration for Gen-, operations. HAMBURG DISTRESS eral Metaxal' rejection of the Ttalian ultimatum and the spirited STOCKHOLM, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-

Greek military defence. attempting to take the fullest ad- cording to a Berlin dispatch.

man and Italian demands. They smoking rooms.

France's former greatness restor-

much to hope that the French and farsighted policy constitutes leaders may see clearly as Ger- a. very solid barrier against agman plans unfold that the cause gression. Anglo-Turkish bonds are

ment at France's expense," con- . "Britain is in the closest continued Lord Halifax. "Is "it too sultation with Turkey whose wise of French survival is the same as solid and unbreakable and we have our own and any action that the same faith in Turkey as we would aggravate our difficulties- believe Türkey has in us (Cheers).

and which of course we should "Anglo-Egyptian relations are have to meet with whatever coun- close and cordial. The Egyptian ter action circumstances might de- Government is implementing the mand—must also deny the prayer treaty of alliance in the letter and of every loyal Frenchman to see spirit with great goodwill."

Lord Halitax found ground for INVASION PORTS

LONDON Nov. 6 (Reuter)-

Bleeping bunks taken from the The position of Yugoslavia was Maginot Line will be used for a rendered still more difficult as a new system of air raid shelters to result of the Italian move. Doubt- be built in Hamburg, the mostless both Germany and Italy were boinged of all German towns, ac-

vintage of her geographical post- Thousands of bomb-proof casemates are koparently to be pro-"We are confident that the Yugo- vided; including separate chamslavs will chitimue to reject Ger- bers for motisers, children and

THE "VICTORY" BEDROOM SUITE.

# THE POLICE

#### CENTRAL

#### FORGED BANKNOTES

Charged on three counts of uttering forged \$10 Bank of Com munications notes at various money changers Kwong Po, married woman; appeared before Mr Lowry yesterday...

She was further charged with possession of the notes,

Det. Sub. Insp. J. O'Donovan said that on Oct. 23, defendant was alleged to have entered the Hung Lee, Leung Shun and Yick Lee money changers at Connaught Road Central where changed a \$10 Bank of Communications note at each place for Hongkong money.

She was followed by a foki from the Hung Lee, who had discovered the note to be forged, and de-YICK Lee

#### DEATH INQUIRY

Sentenced to death on Oct. 1 by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholi Mac-Gregor, at the Supreme Court, Sin Shing, alias Tau Pai-shing. 30, was hanged at the Hongkong Prison, Stanley, yesterday morning.

At an inquest held yesterday with Mr. Sheldon sitting Coroner, and assisted by a jury comprising of Messrs," M. ·Oliveira (foreman) To Pak-yee and Chui Hon-fan, "a verdict of death of by judicial hanging was returned.

Evidence of the cause of death was given by Dr. A. H. Barwell Prison Medical Officer

Sin was one of five men, two of whom received 12 years' and three acquitted; who were charged with piracy jure gentium and piracy with violence outside Colony waters on the night of May

Sin was defended by Mr. H. Somerset Fitzroy, while Mr. J. P Murphy, Assistant Crown Solicitor, assisted by Sub-Insp. L. Tyler. appeared for the prosecution.

#### THREE PRISONERS DEAD

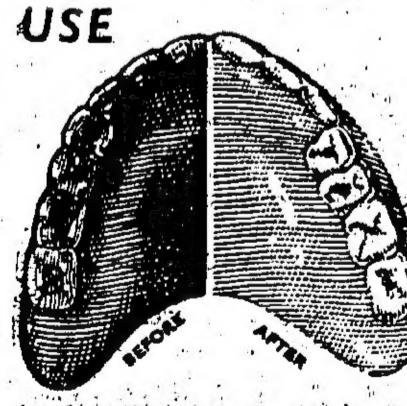
Inquiries into the deaths of labour. three prisoners, who died at the Prison Hospital, Stanley, .. were held at the Central Magistracy G. T. Lowry yesterday on an un. yesterday with Mr. Sheldon sitting as Coroner. Verdicts of death by natural causes were "returned in all cases.

47. sentenced to nine months' hard labour, Mak Keung, 29, admitted to some. prison on Sept. 2, and Tang Chiu. to death on Nov. 28, 1939, for the murder of Leung Ki, 21 Phinese Street on Sept. 28, but the sentence, was commuted to life imprisonment,

#### DEMANDING MONEY

of the case in which Ng Hin, 23, or one month in prison, DW4, Ng Po. 25, unemployed and Tse Kwong, 29 DW37, are charged with demanding money with menaces was adjourned to this morning by Mr. Barnett. They are charged with demanding sums of \$50 each from Chang Keung-

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yan on Aug. 29 and Chan Chifan on Sept. 24, respectively. Det. Sub-Insp. R. Cunningham is prosecuting.

#### THEFT OF GLUE

Charged with larceny of 50 cattles of glue, valued at \$52.50. from No. 257, Des Voeux Road Central by a trick on June 16, a Pleading that she was ignorant hard labour.

compensation of \$30 to Tsang to the S.C.A. of the possession of Hang, foki of the shop, and \$15 to complainant. Tim Chu-sek fail- when she appeared before. Mr. ing which defendant is to serve H. G. Sheldon yesterday. an additional three months' hard

#### UNSTAMPED RECEIPTS

Summoned before Mr. Sheldor yesterday of five counts of issuing fendant was arrested outside the a receipt for \$70 without being duly stamped, Siu Yuet-wah Hearing was adjourned to this No. 92. Des Voeux Road Central, third floor was fined a total of \$25.

Mr. J.M. d'Almada Remedios pleaded guilty to all five summonses on behalf of defendant.

Defendant lived at the above address and sub-let half of floor for \$70 a month. The 'recelpts issued for the months of May, June, July, August and Sept. had-no stamps on them.

Mr. Remedice said his client was rather silly to give ten cents to the person who collect the rents to buy the stamp when she herself signed the receipts.

Mr. Remedios added that de fendant had no intention at all of defrauding the Government. POSSESSION OF TREE WOOD

Pleading guilty to the unlawful possession of 46 cattles of fresh wild tree wood before Mr. Sheldon yesterday La! Cheong kit, 18, unemployed was fined \$50 or six weeks' hard labour.

Defendant was arrested Wongneichong Gap near Deep Water Bay Road on Tuesday.

Charged with possession of 70 cattles of fresh tree wood, Wong Tak-ming, 24, unemployed, was fined \$10 or three weeks' hard

#### UNUSUAL CHARGE

usual charge.

The deceased were Leung Leung, of a carcass of a pig which charged with armed robbery. had been certified as unwhole- Det.-Sgt. D. G. MacPherson said

alias Shin Hang-tsai, 25, who died that he saw defendant prepar- about 2.30 a.m. on Oct. 23, when ed about 16 lbs, and had been three \$10 notes, two \$5 notes and worth yesterday with trespassing people of Britain. certified by the Medical Officer a \$1 note. They gained entrance in Whitfield Barracks. The first of Health as unwholesome.

said he picked the carcass

#### THEFT OF POWER

Two Chinese appeared before Mr. Lowry yesterday charged few workers there. with fraudulently diverting and consuming electricity, the property of Wong Chi-kit, at 37, Lyndhurst Terrace, ground floor, on Nov. 4.

of No. 39 Lyndhurst Terrace, second "floor.

First defendant was additionally charge with maliciously damaging electric wirings,

at 2.30 p.m. and bail at \$100 each was allowed. Det.-Sgt. R. Summers is

charge of the case.

CANING FOR UNEMPLOYED Stating that in view of the fact that it was his first offence and that he was reluctant to send him to prison, Mr. Lowry yesterday sentenced Tam Sau,

was charged with betaling from the person Lau Sui-kin, spinster, \$35 one receipt on Nov. 2 at Staunton Street, was remanded from Tuesday to ascertain whether

was fit for caning. Det. Sub-Insp. Byron prose-

#### cuted. DANGEROUS GOODS

Charged with the possession of 300 tins of kerosene on junks No. T3247H and No. T824H, respectively, at Shaukiwan bour, other than a dangerous goods anchorage on Nov. 4 O Tit 35, and Wong Chun-lin, charge of the respective junks, were each fined the sum of \$100 by Mr. K.M.A. Barnett

Insp. Russell said the jun were lying about 100 yards the shore in the harbour when they saw the Police approaching they tried to sail away. The junks were stopped and the kerosene was found on board.

#### IGNORANCE PLEA

broker. Chow Tak, 52, appeared of the regulations, Fan Nganbefore Mr. Barnett yesterday and chu, alias Chu Tsai, 22, described was sentenced to two months' as a kept woman of No. 95; Lockhart Road, first floor, admitted Defendant was ordered to pay the charge of failing to report z ward, Fan Yuk-chu, 6 years,

> Insp H.W. Fraser said case came to light as the result of information received by S.C.A. that an unregistered murtsai was being kept at the address which was visited by a lady

defendant as an adopted daughter for a certain sum of money. Insp. Fraser added that defendant had been in the Colony for about, six or seven years.

The girl had been presented to

In imposing a fine of \$10, Mr. Sheldon remarked to defendant stressed the danger of the un that she would have to learn fenced machines in factories. about the regulations.

For similar offences Chan Siufined the total sum of \$20."

16-year-old ward. Au Shu-mui health of the workers. on or about Aug. 10, 1938, and with bringing into the Colony

Insp. Fraser said this case was girls had been presented to de- lence of fire engines. fendant as adopted daughters. The girls had expressed a desire to go back to defendant.

#### KOWLOON

#### WATCHMAN'S CHASE

How a watchman chased four A Chinese appeared before Mr. robbers armed with a revolver resulting in the arrest of two of them and injury to his own arm

that the robbery occurred in an Health Officer P.H. Wong said unnumbered hut in So Uk Village ing the pig in a scavenging lane four men, armed with a revolver. behind his house. The pig weigh- robbed Tsang Loi, of a \$100 note. were charged before Mr. Hims-Li admitted the charge and then bound up the inmates.

> board a junk. They jumped back over and is to be expelled. to shore and continued their flight Sub-Inspector Johnson pro- one Beaverbrook. as the alarm was raised by a secuted."

The defendants were Yu Hung. fired two shots. As the watch- Det. Sgt. C. Dowman prosecuted. , of , No. 25. Stanley Street, man got his arms around one of ound floor, and Shek Yuk, 43, the robber's neck the other lifted up his revolver and shot at the watchman's arm.

After evidence was given by the complainant and his wife, the hearing was adjourned to this Hearing was fixed for Nov. 14 afternoon.

#### MANSLAUGHTER CASE

Charged with manslaughter, an unlicensed fruit hawker. Wong Tak, 40. was committed to the Criminal Sessions by Mr. Himsworth yesterday. Det.-Insp. A. E. Carey said that

the accused was a hawker and boat was hired by the owners of of the afternoon of Oct. 21 was the ship and that he was instruct-17, unemployed, to 12 strokes of ceased on the stomach and alleged to have struck the dechest and also slapped him on the cheeks, when the deceased stole an apple."

The deceased was chased and as he walked along Takuling Road he collapsed and died.

Sgt. Jackson, of the Finger-Print Office, said that the deceased was an ex-convict by the name of Chan Shul-wing.

#### FACTORY ACCIDENT

Following an accident in the Kwong Sang Engineering Company, Portland Street, in which launch, was fined \$5, or five days a worker was caught in the wheel hard labour, when he appeared the Company was summoned McCarthy. before Mr. Macfadyen yesterday.

#### JUNKS HELD UP OFF NINE PINS-

While sailing off Nine Pins on Voy. 5 a fishing boat was fired on by another craft with six men in it. Three of the men boarded the fishing boat and after assaulting one member of the crew, Li Shunchal, the robbers took away two sacks of clothing, valued at \$37. and salled away.

Another robbery near Nine Pins has been reported to the Police by. Li Hung, 52, steersman, who stated that his boat was boarded by robbers and his crew were put ashore at Nine Pins. The robbers took away the junk and the cargo which is valued at \$357.

#### , ROBBERY FOILED

Three Chinese males on Tuesday night at about 8.30 p.m. entered a hut in Tang Chuen Shan Kung Chuk Yue village, Kowloon, and held up the inmate, Yam Sammui 30, married woman, and two other women.

The women were tled up but the attempted robbery had apparently been discovered by the neighbours and Police whistles were blown. At this the robbers ran away without 'ting any loot.

The defendant was fined \$50. The manager of King Kwok tsul, 40, married woman, of No. Bulb Company, Sai Yee Street. 6 Sau Wa Fong, first floor, was was fined \$70 for keeping an unregistered factory and for allow-Chan was charged with failing ing the premises to be so overto report the possession of a crowded as to do harm to the

#### ON CROWN LAND Five Chinese were each fined \$8

Ho Siu-hung, 15 without giving for occupying the Crown Land at notice to the S.C.A. within one Talkoktsui yesterday morning without a permit.

Mr. W. G. Routley, of the also the result of an anonymous P. W. D., stated that the road was report made to the S.C.A. Both specially built for the conven-

#### ALLEGED ASSAULT Ng Kam-sang, 45, Tsoi Fa, 32,

and Ng Yung-kan, 53, shop foki, were charged before Mr. Himsworth yesterday with assault, with intent to rob, Yam Sam-mui, Chan Yee-mui and Ng Wai-yee, at Chuk Yuen Village on Tuesday.

Det.-Sgt. C. Dowman asked for a remand of three days which was granted.

#### SENT TO SESSIONS

Lam Kok-tsan, Yip Po-piu, 23. Li Chuen, 45, unemployed sea- was related before Mr. Q. A. A. Yuen Kat, 24, and Lam Choiman, of No. 3 Tung Tak Lane, Maciadyen yesterday when Lo chun, 20, charged with armed rob the South China Morning Post War was charged with the possession Lai, 32, and Lo Sui, 23, were bery on staircases on five occasions, were committed to the Beaverbrook yesterday:-Criminal Sessions yesterday by Mr. Macfadyen: Det.-Sgt. H. Baldwin prosecuted.

#### TRESPASSING CHARGE

#### HAD A CAMERA

Two watchmen in the yard gave A fine of \$10 was imposed by New Chinese Consul chase, and the two defendants Mr. Himsworth yesterday on a were arrested. Chan Chung, one school teacher, Leung On-tak, for of the watchmen, continued to possession of a camera in a prochase the other two men, who tected area, Boundary street.

#### MARINE COURT

#### COXSWAIN FINED

Pleading guilty to the summons, taken out against him by Police Sergeant Hill, of approaching within 30 yards of the "Tai Poo Shek" while the ship was still flying the "S" flag at 7.40 p.m. on Oct. 27, Leung Hol Shing, coxswain of the motor-boat "Yuet Wah" was fined \$15, or 14 days hard labour, by Commander J. Jolly yesterday. Defendant pleaded that his

ed to go alongside the ship to take off its mails. Sgt. Hill, in his outline of the case, said that he was signalled to

go on board the "Tai Poo Shek." From there he went down the gangway to defendant's boat and there found it full of passengers. He made the passengers go back to the ship.

#### BLACK-OUT INFRINGEMENT For exhibiting navigation lights at 5.40 a.m. on Oct. 31 (during the black-out exercises), Lo Lam, coxswain of the "Kwong Yat" steam

of an unfenced machine and before Commander Jolly yesterday received injuries, the manager of on a summons taken out by Sgt. PROHIBITED AREA

Holding that defendant must of Tactories and Workshops, have entered the prohibited area black-out exercises)

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In the hour of crisis they render by breaking the front door and defendant, who had a previous noble assistance in the task of conviction for larceny, was sen striking down the assassins of the After collecting their booty the tenced to two weeks' hard labour. Luftwaffe, and in sending them After further evidence, hearing the harbour. He was fined \$30 robbers escaped to a nearby time to be followed by expulsion, while this expression of my deep gratiber ward where they tried to the second accused was bound tude Lassure them that their share in the final victory will be a proud

For Paris Chungking, Nov. 6 (Central)-A National Government mandate relieved Mr. Huang Chang, Chines Consul-General in Paris, of his duties and appointed Mr. Yuan Tao-feng to succeed him. Mr. Yuan, 33, a native o Shanghang, Fukien, was formerly second secretary of the Chinese Embassy in Moscow.

#### POLICE REPORTS

Li Siu-ching, of Room 33, Bank of Canton Building, reports that between Nov. 2 and 4 someone entered the office and stole \$15 from a drawer.

The theft of \$55.70 in money from his room in the No. 2 Poice quarters, Breezy Lau Yan cook boy.

Lung Fung-shan, Chuk Hang village, reports that someone entered her hut and stole money amounting to \$45.

at 5.30 a.m. in order to be at the western end of the minefield at 8 am. where he was apprehended. Commander Jolly imposed a fine of \$20, or three weeks hard labour, on Wong Chu Kok, coxswain of the steam launch "Lee Ka," who appeared before him, on a summons taken out by Sgt. Hill, for being in a prohibited area whilst the Port Closed signal was hoisted at 6 a.m. on Oct 30 (during the

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REMITTANCES.

The Hongkong Government is prepared to make arrangements for the payment of monthly allotments in Australia on behalf of husbands whose families have been evacuated. Persons wishing to take advantage of this arrange. ment should forward their appli. cations to Mr. A. J. C. Taylor, November 25th, 1940. Forms of application and any further particulars may be obtained from the above named officer.

REGISTRATION.

tions between Hongkong and Majesty the KING, for one fur-Australia being severed, all hus ther term of 75 years. any claim for assistance from price. Government in respect of return passages to Hongkong. Names and addresses should be forward. ed to the Accountant, Treasury. FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE.

A Committee has been appoint. ed to advise Government on applications for financial assistance in respect of evacuates in Australia.

To enable this Committee to deal with all applications expeditiously full information must be given as to the monthly salary and allowances which the applicant receives in Hongkong and any other particulars on which the claim is based.

All applications will be treated strictly confidential and should be forwarded to the SECRETA-RY, EVACUATION EXPEN SES COMMITTEE, TREASU RY, WINDSOR HOUSE, 3rd floor, not later than November 25th as after that date it will be arrangements have been made.

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THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING of the above Society will be held in the Board Room. South China Morning Post, Ltd., on Thursday, 14th November. 1940 at 5.45 p.m. for the purposes of receiving the Annual Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st August, 1940, and of electing office bearers for the ensuing year, etc.

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In Accordance with Government Ordinance, THE BX. CHANGE BANKS will be CLOSED for the Transaction, of PUBLIC BUSINESS on MONDAY, the 11th November. 1940. (Armistice Day.)

Hongkong, 6th November, 1940.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CON DITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Tuesday, the ACCOUNTANT, Treasury, the 12th day of November, 1940, Windsor House, not later than at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Tal Kok Tsul, in the Colony. of Hong Kong for a term To enable the Australian Gov. of 75 years, with the option of AND RELATIONS OF EVAevacuees in the event of connec. fixed by the Surveyor of His

bands whose families did not Intending bidders are advised ROOM OF THE PENIN. ships are invited to register the posal of the lot the Purchaser names and addresses of their (if not the applicant) will be families not later than November authorised officer who will be 25th, so that this information present at the sale, the sum of may be forwarded to the Austra- two hundred dollars, (\$200) in lian Government without delay, cash. This sum will be refunded This registration does not confer on payment of the Purchase

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The public is notified that on and from Wednesday, 6th November, 1940, this Department will have the following telephone 598 numbers :-

> Commissioner 30609. Assistant Commissioners, Examiners, and Secretary 26611 (3 lines) Telephone enquiries may directed to the Secretary. A. G. CLARKE,

> > NOTICE.

6th November, 1940.

A MEETING OF HUSBANDS HALF.

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# Roosevelt To Remain

century of tradition and Order of His Excellency, the fulfilling almost universal 599 Governor of one Lot of Crown hopes and expectations, the the American people have voted Colony of Hong Kong for correctly and soundly in retaining Mr. Roosevelt's services for a third term of tual situation in the Colony by your Committee. office. The emphasis which and a wanton disregard of his opponents tried to lay on the adverse effect it would statement to the effect that I am the few supposed mistakes have on economic and social which he has committed dur- welfare of the people. For ing his eight years as head nearly six months the local of the American Republic has authorities, instead of infailed to convert educated forming the Home Govern- taken earlier, has now been I must assure you that the Comopinion in the United States ment of the ill-affects of the made and compulsion has mittee has made every effort to present at the sale, the sum of troublous days ahead. The lost the latter a deal of the tarily. The admission cash. This sum will be refunded defects, which was the chief expect from the public. on payment of the Purchase weapon wielded by Mr. Will-

of Europe and Asia.

SELLING PRICES

OF CEMENT The first sitting of a Government inquiry into the cost of production and selling prices of cement in the Colony took place at the Central Ma-

H. G. Sheldon, K.C. The inquiry is in private.

gistracy on Tuesday before Mr.

this "will be done, but Mr Roosevelt's assurance backed by the practical and highly effective steps which he has already taken to prepare the country to resist this threat of aggression, their secretary bears the hall Mr. Willkie declared his in- mark with which we are all betention of multiplying several times over the aid which is now being given to Britain, which is holding America's Commissioner of War Taxation, front line of defence against the march of the dictators. 592 Mr. Roosevelt has, by starting from scratch, so to speak, proved his ability to increase this assistance to Britain very materially in the near future. The American people saw at ince where the favourable ernment to make provision for all renewal at a Crown Rent to be CUEES WILL BE HELD ON balance lay and voted ac-FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 8TH. cordingly. Their trust in Mr. stated:-AT 7 P.M. AT THE ROSE Roosevelt is justified and, encouraged by that trust and confidence, Mr. Roosevelt will proceed with the official evacuee that immediately after the dis- SULAR HOTEL TO DIS keep his hold on the reins of THE FORMATION his office and steer the OF A COMMITTEE WHICH ship of state safely through the storms which are threat-CONSIDER ALL ening to destroy all that CONCERNING American civilisation holds EVACUEES AND WHEN dear. In joining in the con-time during the hearing did I gratulations which must even mention the question of mainten-NECESSARY MAKE REPRE. now be pouring into White SENTATIONS TO H.M. GOV. House on his third term ERNMENT ON THEIR BE. election victory, may we conclude by quoting the words tee, and was in some "cases used by an American journ- tributed to me. alist in London on Tuesday night: "May God go with lows:-

#### DISCRETION THE BETTER PART?

DISCRETION has evidentlly, at long last, been allowed to find a place in the Home Government's view with regard to the controversy which has been raging in this Colony over the compulsory evacuation of women and children from Hongkong. The announcement, which was made public in an official communique yesterday, that women who have received notice to quit the Colony by the end of this week will not be compelled to leave, must, in view of the strong criticism which has been levelled at the Government on this issue, be regarded as an admission that the measure was, in the first instance, a

blunder caused by an entire misunderstanding of the ac-

kie's supporters to oppose Mr. appeals to the Government been sent away an oppor-Roosevelt's re-election, has to take a more realistic view tunity to return. There will today become a minor issue of the position and to amend still be dissatisfaction over in America's national life, its policy so as to remedy this aspect of amended policy. except so far, of course, as their initial error, but the but, then, Hongkong must be it concerns the Big Business answer was always the same thankful for the small merclique. What the average -the local authorities were cles which are now being American today is chiefly in- acting on instructions and, shown to it and the crumbs terested in is that his coun- of course, could not possibly of comfort which have fallen try and all the liberties see its way to tell the Home from the official table will no which he has enjoyed under Government where it had doubt tend to ease the posiits democratic system of erred. The controversy was tion until, without losing Government should be safe- approaching a climax, as re- face, the authorities can drop Marsman and Co. (China) Limited, could undertake this duty would: guarded from power-politics ports of the hearings of the a few more crumbs, which was admitted to the Kowloon Hos- they kindly send their names toof the Totalitarian aggressors Evacuation Advisory Com- those who have already been pital yesterday after falling from the Director of Air Raid Frecan-Evacuation Advisory Com- those who have already been the first floor of the new Kowloon tions, Wing-Commander A. H., B., mittee prove, and, driven into evacuated might be able to Godowns Coolles quarters, Canton Steele-Perkins, O.B.E., No. 88, Mor. BOTH Mr. Roosevelt and an untenable position, the gather when they return to Road. He sustained internal in- rison, Hill, when courses will be 591 Mr. Willkie promised that move which should have been their homes in the Colony.

CORRESPONDENCE

#### **EVACUATION** APPEALS

The Editor, Hongkong Dally Press Sir-I send you herewith copies of correspondence regarding the appeal on behalf of my wife. which was heard on Saturday.

In view of the publicity given to the statement made by the Secretary to the Advisory Committee regarding my inability to support my wife I shall be obliged if you will publish these letters in full. The "apology" submitted on behalf of the members of the Committee and at once withdrawn by coming so familiar these days,

> Yours faithfully, G. B. S. THOMSON.

COPY The Chairman,

The Evacuation Advisory Committee, Colonial Secretariat.

Hongkong. Sir-On Saturday last, during the hearing of the Appeal lodged on behalf, of my wife, the Secretary to your Committee in his preliminary summary of the evidence

"On August 2 last a letter was received from Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master, Solicitors, applying for permission for Mrs. Thomson to return on the grounds that you were unable to support her in Australia and yourself

This was the complete reference

made to that letter. As you are well aware at no ance of my wife, but unfortunately the above statement was given wide publicity in the Press as my main submission to your commit-

The letter in question is as fol-

"The Honourable The Colonial

Sir-We are instructed by our client, Mr. G. B. S. Thomson, the accountant of The Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd. to write to you and ascertain whether there is any objection to his wife returning to the

When the instructions of the Government were originally given for the evacuation, our client arranged for his wife to proceed privately to Australia and she left on the 5th ult. and is at the present time in Sydney. As her continued absence from the Colony will involve our client giving up his present home and dismissing his staff he would, if it were possible, be glad if she could return to the Colony and as we have mentioned, he would be giad to know if there is any

objection to her doing so. We may add, as far as help to be given here is concerned, she is the holder of an A.R.P. Warden's Certificate which she obtained in London.

We have the honour to be.

Your obedient servants, (Sd.) Johnson Stokes & Master." cannot see how it was possible to construe this letter as was done | financial grounds.

You will appreciate that a press unable to support my wife in Australla is greatly resented by me.

from the view that Mr. order, preferred to enforce it been removed from the mea-(if not the applicant) will be Roosevelt is the right man in a manner that created ill- sure, which, however, will fore it and that this particular required to deposit with an to guide the destinies of feeling between the people still remain in force for those authorised officer who will be the country through the and the administration and who wish to leave volun- all the members. At the same two hundred dollars, (\$200) in New Deal and its so-called confidence which it should error, is, nevertheless, quali- cepting responsibility for an infied in that it does not go so THE PRESS made many far as to give those who have

#### Evacuation Compulsory Abandoned In Colony: Official Decision

AN AMENDMENT TO THE GOVERNMENT'S EVACUA-TION POLICY, so far as it implies compulsion on British women to leave the Colony, was announced in an official communique on instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

## FUNERAL OF MR. A. D. SEQUEIRA

The funeral took place at the Roman Catholic Cemetery yester day of Mr. Augusta Darlo Sequeira, who died on Tuesday after a long

The late Mr. Sequeira, who was 42 years of age, was employed at the Standard-Vacuum Oil Combany Ltd. He is survived by his father. Mr. Gumelsindo Jesus ceived from the Secretary of State Sequeira a widow; five children for the Colonies, who has been kept

and a brother. ciated, assisted by the Rev. Frs. the comparatively few women and G. M. Spada, M. Grampa, Rosello children still in the Colony and not and Terruzi

deceased's father brother. M. Sequeira, son, Mr. brothers in-law.

THOSE PRESENT

Others present were Messra. C. A. P. Xavier, A. C. Botelho, S. A. Lopes, M. A. Simoes, C. M. Alves, S. S. Sequeira, C. Vas. C. E. Marques, A. F. Osmund, E. A. R. Alves, A. C. V. Ribeiro, R. Bursley, L. Guterres, J. J. Guterres, A. J. C. Ribeiro, J. Almaida, F. Danenburg, D. Lopes C. M. Correa, J. M. Fonseca, L. A. Osmund and R. Sanger and many others.

A sheaf of flowers from the wife" and "children was interred with the casket.

Other wreaths were sent by the loving children Manuel, Mercia. Delysia, Erie, and Julis, Letty, Betty and Jock, Mother and Arthur, Carlos and Beatriz and children Carlos and Jeca, R. R. Pearson, R. Sanger, Dr. Douglas Liang, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Osmund. Pioneer Family Store and Standard-Vacuum Oil Company.

and I must request some explanation of fact.

I shall be obliged if you wil fayour me with an early reply.

Yours faithfully, (Sd.) G. B. S. THOMSON.

COPY Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong. Nov. 5, 1940.

Sir-The Chairman of the Evacuation Advisory Committee, has asked me to reply to your letter of Nov. 4.

In preparing the notes on your case. I assumed that the words "As her continued absence from the Colony will involve our client giving up his present home and dismissing his staff . . . . " which were used by Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master in their letter

of Aug. 2, were intended to imply

that your appeal was based on

If my remarks, which expressed this assumption, were incorrect, you were quite at liberty to contradict them. I presume that since no contradiction was forthcoming the press reporters assumed that you accepted my implica-

the public who have appeared bemisunderstanding is regretted by terpretation of a letter written on your behalf which you let pass without question or comment.

I am, Sir, Your obedient servant, (8d.) C. BRAMWELL BURGESS, Secretary, Evacuation Advisory Committee.

G. B. S. Thomson, Esq., C/o. The Hongkong & Kowloon Whari & Godown Co., Ltd., Kowloon.

A coolie Li Yin, employed by

ACCORDING TO THE COMMUNIQUE those women who have now received notices to leave will not be compelled to do so, but there will be no lifting of the restriction against those who have already left returning to the Colony.

TEXT OF COMMUNIQUE

The following is the text of the communique:

Instructions have today been refully informed of the situation. The Rev. Fr. A. Granelli offi- that the compulsory evacuation of already exempted is not to be en-The chief mourners were the forced. Those women who have Mr. been served with a notice to leave M. in a ship salling for Australia at. Sequeira, two nephews and two the end of this week will accordingly not be forced to go but any who choose to avail themselves of this opportunity will be provided. with passages and will come under the existing scheme. " ...

The Secretary of State asks that any women with children should be very strongly urged to leave the Colony, even though the comput--sory powers are not at present to.

A WARNING

It must be emphasised, that should the situation further deteriorate no facilities to leave the Colony can be guaranteed and those not willing to avail themselves of facilities now offered will in any case have to give precedence to those temporarily exempted under the original scheme.

The Secretary of State also expresses the hope that all those remaining in the Colony should feel it their duty to do all that they. can to assist in the Colony's defence scheme.

At the same time the Secretary of State does not consider that the tion for this gross mis-representa- international situation at present warrants the return of those who have already been evacuated and the existing restrictions on women wishing to enter the Colony will not be removed.

CHOICE LEFT OPEN

In view of the above announcement all those women who were booked to travel to Australia by a ship leaving at the end of this week are expressly asked to call at the office of the Accountant, (Treasury. Windsor House, sometime during this afternoon in order to confirm their bookings or to return their tickets if they do not wish

The importance of notifyingtheir intentions at once cannot be emphasised too strongly since it is. still hoped to make such reservations as are cancelled available for those women and children who have expressed a desire to leave and for whom accommodation has been found until now.

#### BAGGAGE SPACE FOR AUSTRALIA

Husbands whose wives have been evacuated to Australia are advised. by the Hongkong Treasury that a ship is due to sail on or about Nov. 15 for Australia on which baggage space is available at nominal rates... Those wishing to send any goods to their families are requested to.... see the Accountant, Government, Treasury, Windsor House.

It will be noted from the statement issued by Government are. evacuation that the Secretary of State for the Colonies urges those women who are not now being evacuated will do all they can to as-

A.R.P. VACANCIES

sist in the Colony's defence scheme. There are many vacancies in the A.R.P. organisation especially inthe telephonist section. Women posted to this duty will be employed at certain headquarters and their duties will be to receive and send out messages to the Services concerned and any air raid dam-

age reports which may be received... Should any women feel they

#### MILES 38-AND-QUARTER IN 11-AND-HALF HOURS

## South African Troops Break Record For Forced March

NAIROBI NOV. 6 (REUTER) - SOUTH AFRICAN TROOPS IN KENYA HAVE BROKEN THE BRITISH EMPIRE RECORD for forced march by covering 38-and-a-quarter miles in 11-and-a-half hours. This is officially announced and it is further stated that the

This South African column has

beaten all records for marching in

It is unusual to hear of forced

marches nowadays and we are ac-

customed to think of the infantry

DIFFICULT COUNTRY

high quality of the Dominion

troops, began at 4. a.m. across

three hours during the mid-day

at 8.30 p.m. the same evening, only

two men having fallen out during

REVIOUS RECORD

an Indian Regiment who covered

Indians had the advantage of pre-

European armies, British battalions

there often undertake long

harrying the Italian forces

Egypt and are hard as nails.

The previous record was held by

A march, which is Illustrative of

Military correspondent.

surprised attention.

the entire march.

West frontier.

troops had only five hours rest.

# Eye-Witness Account Of Conditions In Nanning

CHUNGKING, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-The first eye-witness account of the conditions in Nanning after the Chinese occupation reached Chungking from the official Cen- Kenya's most difficult country, trai News Agency correspondent, continuing with only a ten-minute who made a special trip to Nan- rest hourly until they stopped for ning from Liuchow.

After a four-day and night heat. Thereafter they continued journey, the correspondent arrived as before until they reached camp in Nanning on the night of Nov. 4. Along the road, the correspondent saw numerous strong defence works of barbed wire entanglements, starting from a point 15 miles northward, in Nanning. AREAS MINED

"Chinese engineer corps are warn ing the populace and have cordoned off areas which are mined by the Japanese. Bridges and telephone lines along the highway, all remain . Intact while buildings in Nanning city are also intact, though farms are unattended.

The "majority" of the Chinese marches while troops at Home are populace in the country-side has not nearly so spoiled in this matnot yet returned to their homes. Electric lights were "restored in Nanning on Nov. 3. It is estimated that one-tenth of the Nanning covered 35 miles in 24 hours, a feat populace has not yet returned. All corridor east of Dunkirk and proshops remain closed and only vided escape for the French troops few peddlars are selling drinks and south of Lille and the British in of foods. The magistrate of the Kuomintang offices is now assuming the Armementers area. duties.

#### RECONSTRUCTION **PLANNING** COMMITTEE

CHUNGKING, Nov. 6 (Central) -The Executive Yuan Yesterday appointed Dr. H. H. Kung Vice-President of the Executive Yuan and Minister of Finance as con-Capital Reconstruction Planning Committee, and Mr. Chow Chungyuch, Minister of interior," and Mr. Yang Shu-kan, reserve member of the Kuomintang Central Supervisory Committee, as concurrently Vice-Chairmen.

It may be recalled that a recent National Government mandate designated Chungking as China's auxiliary capital.

#### VICE-MINISTERS OF SOCIAL WELFARE

Mr. Hung Lan-yu and Mr. Huang Pei-tu were appointed respectively Political and Administrative Vice-Ministers of Social Welfare by the Executive Yuan yesterday.

Director of the Social Affairs Board of the Central Kuomintang Headquarters, which was reorganised as the Ministry of Social Welfare under the Executive Yuan.

With his appointment as Administrative Vice-Minister of Social Welfare, Mr. Huang Pel-tu was re- in Koritza in a brilliant surprise lieved of his duties as a member attack and it is also revealed that of the Standing Committee of the two of the four fighters which en-National Relief Commission and gaged the Italian bombers Mr. Wang Ping-chun, Deputy Piraeus on Tuesday were British. Director of the Social Affairs The other two were Greek. Board of the Central Kuomintang Commission.

#### AMENDMENT TO ARTICLES

Two applications for authority to amend the memorandum of the Articles of the companies were granted by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, at the Supreme Court yesterday.

The applicants were the Union Insurance Society of Canton. L'mited, and the British Traders' Insurance Company, Ltd.

Mr. Eldon Potter, K.C., instructed by Mr. M. H. Turner, said that authority was sought to amend

## WANTED TO STEAL BELL FROM

Armed robbers raided the lighthouse at Capsulmun on Tuesday and held-up the attendant, Yu Sze, it was revealed in a Police report last night.

LIGHTHOUSE

At 11.30 p.m. Yu was awakened by a torch being flashed on his face and he saw two Chinese men. u'l marching order, says Reuter's ing by his bed. There were also being transported in lorries or at

least being relieved of the weight The two men pointed their guns at Yu and demanded money from their kit by motor transport. The South African column's ac- him. On being told that he had hievement must, therefore, attract none one of the robbers said that they come to steal the lighthouse bell but had not brought sufficient men with them. He added that there were ten men outside.

#### BLOW ON HEAD

wooden gun gave Yu a blow on the head and again demanded money. The door of the storehouse, which was about 15 yards away, was then heard being broken open and, after 15 minutes, all the robbers left.

After a short while Yu went out but all the marauders had disap-

the distance of 34 miles, but the It was found later that \$20 in money, clothing and jewellery, to vious hard training on the Norththe total value of \$62, were taken Mechanisation in India not havfrom the storehouse by the robing yet attained the standard of bers.

> United States in the Far East is "unfeasible" a spokesman of the Foreign Office stated today.

> theoretical" is absolutely necessary, the spokesman stated.

#### TOKYO, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-No ter as generally supposed as witmatter who is President, Ameness by the fact that some of our rica's foreign policy, especially in forces in France and Flanders the Far East, must be reconsidered, because the policy of the which enabled them to form

Eastern policy, which is Many of these men are now

#### CAPTURE GREEKS HEIGHTS

ATHENS, Nov. 6 (Reuter) - The Greeks captured a new series of fortified heights with semi-permanent defences on the Western Macedonian front, according to a currently Chairman of the Auxiliary High Command communique.

> Sections of retreating enemy were attacked by their own tanks.

The air force successfully bombed aerodromes in Koritza, destroying a number of enemy planes on the ground. In yesterday's fighting two Italian bombers were brought down and no Greek planes were lost.

not yet developed, according to military circles but it may be expected at any time. The Greeks are now fighting on the western Mr. Hung Lan-yu was Deputy side of Lake Mikrapresba. In the south," the Greeks have taken a number of prisoners.

#### SURPRISE ATTACK

BELGRADE, Nov. 6 (Renter)-It is reported that Greek bombers destroyed several enemy machines

The British and Greek planes was appointed a member of the each brought down one Italian air-

There is no official confirmation here of reports that the RAF

#### have bombed Bari and Brindist. "NO ITALIAN VESSEL

revealed here that British naval units patrolled the western coastline of Greece without encountering a single Italian vessel....

It is also stated that a large number of prisoners were captured in the Pindus area.

#### MORE LANDINGS

# SINO-JAPANESE

HOSTILITIES CHUNGKING, Nov. 8 (Reuter)-Well-informed Chinese sources flatly deny the widespread rumours regarding the alleged possibility of The main attack in Greece has an early peaceful settlement of the Sino-Japanese hostilities.

These rumours, which are described as completely without foundation, alleged that Germany is exerting pressure on Japan and China for an early peaceful settle-

ment of their dispute. It is added that Germany is asking Japan to withdraw her troops from South China as well as the Yangtse Valley in order to pave the way for peace negotiations and enable China to join the Axis so China and Japan may participate in the war against Britain in the Far East.

#### UNCLAIMED TELEGRAMS

grams are lying at the office of loon B.G.C. Company (Limited):-

floor, from Shanghai; Miss Yu Ol- Gregor. If wet on Saturday, the other popular favourites. ATHENS, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-It is lee, 44 Village Road, 2nd floor (2 Aitkenhead Shield game will be telegrams), from Shanghai; Fong decided on Sunday, at the same Charn, 403 Sun Wah Boarding time. House, from Shanghai; Ling Club conveners are requested by day was 83 and the minimum 73. Chung, 25 Des Voeux Road West, Mr. R. P. Phillips, Hon. Secretary Kwok Hotel, from Shanghal; Kam sociation, to send their Club's flag of 82.72. Hing Yuen, s.s. Ogel, c/o Yee Tai to the Kowloon B.G.C. as soon as Co., from Shanghai, Chiu Tang- possible before Saturday hing, Tai Chung Wah Hotel, from Shanghal: June Fong. 25 Ashley ROME, Nov. 6 (Reuter)—British Road, from Shanghai; Purshotamthe companies memorandum of troops have landed at the Greek das , c/o Hassaram, China Bidg., the Articles so that the companies islands of Mytilene, Khios and from Shanghai; Ho, Eastern & could have their head office estab. Kythera in addition to Crete, ac- Australian Co., 96 Connaught Rd., I shed where they thought suit cording to a report from Shanghai; Mrs. Larry Smith, Montery Ampres, from Kobe.

# DEFEAT

YORK, Nov. 6 (Reuter) - Although the NEW YORK the NEW YORK HERALD TRIBUNE and other leading papers throughout the United States conceded before midnight that Mr. Roosevelt would be re-elected by what appears to be a substantial majority, Mr. Wendell Willkie refuses to admit defeat.

Looking grave and tired, Mr. Willkie went into conference with his advisers in his New York hotel after reports showed the evergrowing majorities for Mr. Roosevelt.

ROOSEVELT

RE-ELECTED

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corted by Police and detectives,

DEMOCRATS GAIN

besieged the polling

throughout the country.

277 seats outstanding.

prisals.

therto have made no gains.

NO REPRISALS

"I repeat those words and ask

Colonel Frank Knox, Secre-

tary for Navy, in a statement

declared that the President

had received a clear mandate

to continue the firm and

vigorous foreign policy and

accelerate the national de-

3 MILLION VOTES

Willkie, says that on the basis of

the "incomplete but significant re-

turns" Roosevelt appears to have

Of the first 6,000,000 votes

. The Democratic chairman claims

"VAUDEFUN"

TONIGHT.

Members of the "Vaudefun"

Lounge Theatre, European Y.M.

C.A., where a yariety programme

is to be presented tonight in aid

of the British War Organisation

Fund for the work of the Toc H

The show opens at 9.15 p.m. and

Among the artistes will be Irene

Arteub, Gertrude Goddard, Elvie

Minnie Mather, Richmond and

Total rainfall since Jan 1 is

The Royal Observatory report

A moderate anti-cyclone covers

N. China and Mongolia, and pres-

sure remains high over the Paci-

The typhoon appears to be

situated about 700 miles east of

the Balintang Channel, moving

fic to the east of Japan.

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with the Home Forces.

Maximum

states:-

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re-elected.

a Roosevelt victory.

been re-elected.

the losers to overcome their dis-

in Europe and the Orient."

Senator McNary, Mr. Willkie's running mate for Vice-Presidency. conceded a Roosevelt triumph," but Mr. Willkie still wouldn't give up.

Other Republican leadersthinking perhaps of the "freak armed with short firearms, stand- election" in 1916 when Mr. Charles Evans Hughes went to bed thinktwo other men, one of whom was ing he had defeated Mr. Woodrow armed with a wooden gun, by the Wilson only to find votes of Cali- Mr. Wilkie as he voted at the fornia coming in overnight had reversed the process by morningrefused to admit defeat.

After the conference, Mr. Will- Roosevelt leading in 18 States kie went to the microphone in his having 187 electoral votes. Willkie hotel amidst cheers of his sup- was leading in 12 States with porters and said: "I never felt aggregate of 141 electoral votes. better in my life. I hope none of you are afraid or disheartened. because I am not. I just wanted In the Congress elections to thank you for being my fellow-fighters in this struggle."

#### APPARENT TRIUMPH

If the verdict of the majority of observers is upheld and Mr. Roosevelt's apparent triumph is confirmed officially during today, he will have achieved a feat which no other American President has ever equalled, not excepting George Washington, who is said to have disapproved of a third term in the Presidency, lest it encourage dictatorial tendencies among American statesmen.

Despite his comparative inexperience in public life, Mr. Willkie, the public utilities magnate. who was scarcely known outside the ranks of big business months ago, has anyhow done much better than Governor Landon, who won only Maine and Vermont with eight electoral votes against Mr. Roosevelt's 523 electoral votes in 1936.

In 1932. Mr. Roosevelt defeated Mr. Herbert Hoover, whose administration was handicapped by becoming identified with the severest economic slump in Ameri-The revision of America's Far can history, by 472 electoral votes to 59. But with the speed unequalled even in 1932, one Willkie supporter after another conceded defeat for their man between 1 p.m. and midnight.

#### TIPE TURNS

The tide began to turn for Mr. tabulated Roosevelt claimed 3,324, Roosevelt when the Republican 000 and Willkie 2,762,000. chairman in Ohio conceded his began marching into an imposing election of President Roosevelt. lead which at midnight gave him the lead of nearly 2,000,000 votes, shortly, after midnight but re-Meanwhile, at Hyde Park, a fused to concede the election

crowd of 300 jubilant villagers paraded with torches, drums and totals show Roosevelt with over

At the stroke of midnight, Mr. which have 443 electoral votes Roosevelt appeared on the bal- while Willkie is ahead in States riageway; and a Chinese female, cony to acknowledge the cheers. having 88 electoral votes. The crowd shouted "We want Eleanor" and Mrs. Roosevelt also after half the country's voting appeared smiling and waving.

The Democratic Committee held Roosevelt 14,066,238 and Wilkie collisions between vehicles and an elaborate party at the New 10,736,134. York Hotel to celebrate the all that President Roosevelt has been triumph and Democrats of kinds, from Jack Dempsey to Mr. Biddle. American Ambassador to Mr. Willkie refused to concede Poland made merry there.

Crowds of Republicans who had gathered at another hotel for the "victory - ball" grew more gloomy as radios blazed the tale of Democratic victory.

## BOWLS' PRIZES PRESENTATION ON SATURDAY

Players who are taking part in the Aitkenhead Shield match are promises to be an exceptionally reminded that the game will start good one. The following unclaimed tele- at 2.30 p.m. on Saturday at Kow-

the Great Northern Telegraph At the conclusion, the prizes for Yuen, Norah Witchell, Mande, the Colony Championships will be Li Hon-fung, Nathan Hotel, 3rd distributed by Sir Atholi Mac- Harrison, Alex Graff and all the

from Shanghai; Kok, 206 Luk of the Hongkong Lawn Bowls As- 117.07 inches against an average

Scoring a goal in the last minute of the game, Middlesex Regiment drew with Y. M. C. A. "A" XI. one-all in a friendly hockey encounter at King's Park yesterday.

#### PASSENGERS ARRIVALS FROM THE NORTH

'Arrivals from Shanghai by Dutch liner yesterday were Mrs. C. da Lux, Miss C. P. da Souza, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Hawkins, Miss G. M. Hawkins, Mr. A. E. H. Marker and Mr. C. I. Barr.

IN TRANSIT

Through passengers for Manila by the same vessel were Mrs. V. Cohen, Mstr. Y. Cohen, Mrs. A. M. Cooper, Mrs. H. A. Lamade and two children, Mrs. M. C. Simmie, Mrs. A. C. Pitersky, Mrs. E. de Vatour Kozlowska, Mrs. D. Black, Mrs. E. A. White, Mrs. M. B. Roberts and child, Mrs. Several hundred people cheered Athena Kapayannidri, Miss J. I Empainado and Miss S. Emcentre near his home. He was espainado.

Through passengers for Nether The position at 8.15 p.m. showed ands East Indles ports were Mr J. J. Potting, Mr. J. L. Doutzenberg, Mr. and Mrs. S. Arendz, Mrs. G. Ashworth and child, Mr. and Mrs. F. Christie, Mrs. A. L. Clifton, Miss M. V. Clifton, Mrs. F. N. Bis-NEW YORK, Nov. 6 (Reuter)sett. Miss M. Bissett-Menikoff. Miss T. R. Bissett, Mr. and Mrs. Democrats and 18 Republicans T. G. Drakeford. Miss B. Drakehave hitherto been elected with Democrats gain two seats in this connexion. Republicans hi-

Mr. Wilkie was followed on the Mrs. F. N. Loveless and two chil- Yu-fai, dentist, of No. 22, Ashley air by Mr. Jim Farley who, speak- dren, Mr. A. Noe, Mrs. W. M. Ross, Road, and Miss Esther Sybil Lyen, ing from the Democratic head- Lt.-Col. and Mrs. H. G. Sebastian, teacher, residing at No. 27, Loch quarters, said: "Four weeks ago Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Witschi and Road; Mr Fung (Ting-tiu, teacher, said I hoped that the bitterness two children. of the campaign would be for-

#### gotten and promised that the victors would go on and no re- FUNERAL OF MR. V. TCHOUHNIN

the victors to be considerate and The funeral took place at the Colonial Cemetery yesterday of the appointment and pitch in for the late Mr. Victor Georgevitch common good in a world made Tchounnin, who died at the Queen dangerous for all by the total war Mary Hospital on Tuesday morn. ing after a long illness. The Rev Father Dimitri Ouspenski officiat-

The deceased came to Hongkons in 1924. He was 46 years of age, the son, of Admiral Tchouhn'n of the Imperial Russian Navy, and had himself served in the Russian Far Eastern Fleet in the World War. The Kansas RED STAR, which when he attained the rank of backed the candidature of Mr. Lieutenant.

## 94 Traffic Accidents

In the Colony of Hongkong in-Mr. Charles McNary, Republican cluding the Island, Kowloon and pivotal State had gone to Mr. candidate for the Vice-Presidency. New Territories during the week Roosevelt. The President then early this morning conceded the ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday Nov. 2 there were altogether 94 traffic ac-Mr. Wilkie spoke on the radio cidents as the result which three persons were killed and 23 persons were injured At midnight the popular vote Of persons killed, two Chinese males, aged 75 and 38 respectively, bugles outside the President's 11,000,000 and Willkie with 8,750, were knocked down and killed by 000. Roosevelt is leading in States a tramcar and a private car respectively while crossing the carage 42, died from injuries received At 1,30 a.m. the popular vote, while alighting from a moving bus. Of 94 accidents, 34 were colliunits have been tabulated, was sions between vehicles; 32 were

to other causes.

#### PRESENTATION AT SAINTS' FELLOWSHIP

The St. Andrew's Fellowship held a social evening in the clubrooms at the the Church Hall last night when a presentation was made to Miss Ethel Banker of a crystal bowl and linen table centrepiece on the occasion of her forthcoming marriage to Mr. William Q. Low, Clerk to the Puisne Judge. Mr. A. C. Jeffreys made the presentation on behalf of the Fellow-

Among those present were Miss W. Robinson, Miss Grace Darby, Miss Dorothy Holloway, Mrs. C. M. Bird Mrs. Passmore, Mrs. Hobloway, Messrs, Gordon Gardiner, S. Manfield, J. Hosken, L. Goodwin, A. Gillespie, J. Moulton, Dudley Passmore, Leslie Millington, Fred Hemsley, Neubronner, G. Pelham, Christian, P. Johns and P. Clark.

#### FORTHCOMING WEDDINGS

The following forthcoming mar-

riages are announced:-Signalman Yeong Yee-seng of ford, Rev. W. A. M. van Dyk. Mr. H. M. S. Cornflower, and Miss Mok and Mrs. H. J. Hepeurman, Mrs. Yee-fong, residing at No. 79. M. J. Johnson, Mstr. F. L. John- Waterloo Road, Homuntin: Ernest son, Mrs. J. E. Kauffeld, Mrs. A. James Stevens, Officer of Stanley T. N. A. Laing and child, Mr. H. Prison, and Miss Mary Anna Lee. B. Longfellow, Mr. E. W. Loveless, of No. 324, Nathan Road; Dr. Yenng of No. 2, Arran Street, and Miss Lo Kit-sang, residing at No 28, Bonham Road.

# Refugees in

An increase of two in the number of refugees and destitutes accommodated in the Colony, in Government camps, etc., in Urban and Rural Areas is recorded in the returns for the week ending Nov.

Urban Areas (Civilians): King's Park 1,304 against 1,295 on Oct. 26.

Mau Tau Chung 1,502 against 1,563 on Oct. 26.... North Point 1,384 against 1,387

on Oct. 26. Morrison Hill 539 against 541 on

Oct. 26. Urban Areas (Soldlers):

In Hospital 15 against 16 on Oct Argyle Street 708 against 708 on

Urban Areas (Squatters' Camps): (Tai Hang 2,557 against 2,491 on

Ngau Tau Kok "798 against 798 on Oct. 26.

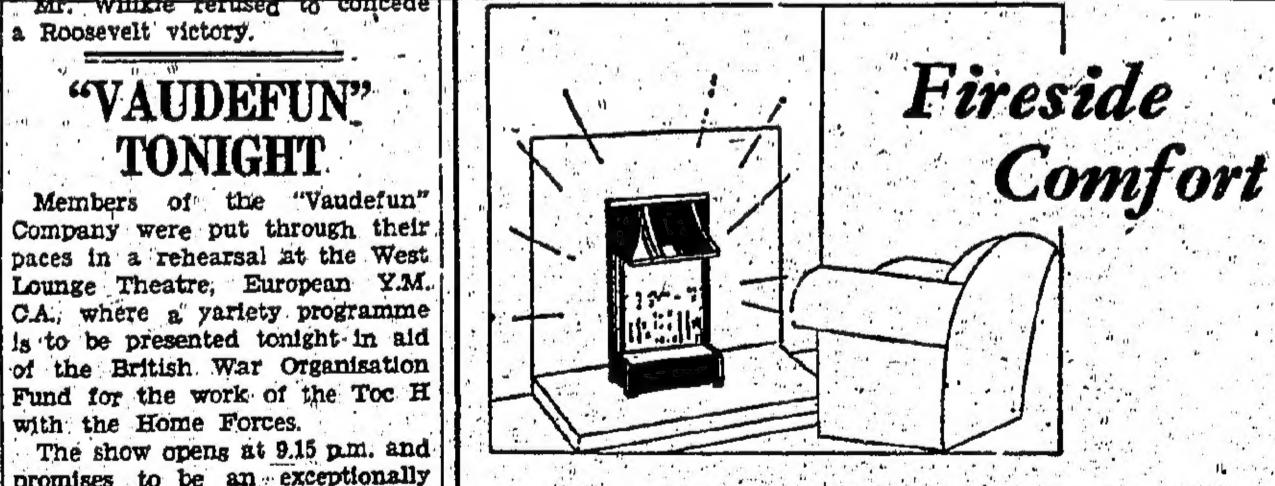
Rural Areas: Kam Tin 1,970 against 2,076 on

Total: 10,877 against :10,875 on Oct. 26.

#### FIRING PRACTICE Firing practice as under is notified for today :--

Heavy gun anti-aircraft practice in the southern area of the Island. between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m.

Firing areas "C" and "D" wil pedestrians; 28 accidents were due be affected.



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Reel Newsprinting Paper 301"

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4 Bales Old Newspaper

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I Westinghouse Refrigerator

1 Carpet

their Godown, No. 2." Wood

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TERMS: -- CASH ON DELIVERY

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#### SIR E. IRONSIDE ON HALF PAY

be sent to the interior of "free Field Marshal Sir Edmund Iron-China." side, though supernumerary to the establishment of eight officers of that bank, is to receive half-pay while unemployed. The half-pay ings, Chinese merchants in Shangrate, formerly £1,800 per year, is now £1,629 per year.

It is understood that Sir Edmund will be available for employment, and that after a period of Chinese Consul General and Chi rest another post will be found for nese "Chamber of Commerce

a scheme in- mission from the authorities there Hore-Belisha, to have the goods moved out. Arwhen War Secretary, the age of rangements were being made for retirement of generals was reduced shipping the goods to Hongkong & Shanghai when suddenly another from 67 to 60.

Sir Edmund Ironside is 60. No order was issued prohibiting such change, however, was made in the a procedure. Mr. Tsao is returnconditions of service of field marshals. When unemployed, they remain on the half-pay list and are the retired pay list at certain prenot, like general officers, placed on scribed ages.

#### INDO-CHINA **ORDERS**

SHANGHAI GOODS

BAN

who have thousands of dollars

NOT TOLD

been issued by the governor

week previously, but Chinese mer-

formed of the reasons for such a

step. They were very much sur-

prised to learn of this since,

through negotiations, they recent-

ly obtained permission from the

governor to have their goods

They have telegraphically peti-

tioned the governor to rescind his

new order so that goods, purely

goods manufacturers, might be re-

turned to them since they cannot

SEVERAL MEETINGS

It will be recalled in this con-

nection that after several meet-

hai sent Mr. Tsao En-hsien to

Indo-China for their goods' re-

turn. With the assistance of the

the colony, Mr. Tsao obtained per-

Daily News,

an arrangement.

moved out.

ADMIRAL DECOUX'S NOVEMBER 6, 1940 A.R.P. Orders issued by Wing-Commander A. H. S. Steele-Perkins, Chinese merchants and native O.B.E., Director of Air Raid Precaugoods manufacturers in Shanghai, tions

NOTICES

worth of goods stranded in Indo-Medical Attendance:-Members China as a result of recent dethe Corps of Air Raid Wardens sufvelopments in the French colony. fering from injuries sustained while were agog on Oct. 31 when they on duty are entitled to free medical learned that authorities in Indoattendance at any Government Hos-China had made a last-minute pital on production of a certificate decision not to allow them to ship from a superior officer, stating that back their goods to Hongkong or such injuries were actually sustained Shanghai, reports the North China while on duty. In normal cases, such certificates will be signed by Divisional Wardens but in cases of great The "Shing Sheng News Agency urgency they may be signed by a stated that some circles suspected Group Warden or any officer above that the goods were prevented that rank and will be countersigned

from being sent here by, the later by the Divisional Warden. Japanese since recently the gover-Resignations: - Divisional Wardens nor of Indo-China allowed such are notified that while the Corps is mobilised no resignation will be allowed except in very special cases and The order forbidding the goods only with the permission of the Director of Air Raid Precautions, Apto be removed was said to have plications to resign must be submitted to A.R.P. Headquarters with full details of the circumstances. chants in Shanghai were not in-

Loss or Damage to Stores and Equipment:-All loss or damage to A.R.P. Stores or equipment must be reported to this office through Divisional Wardens immediately it is detected with a full account of the circumstances under which it occurred. All damaged or useless equipment must be returned to this office and under no circumstances is it to be destroyed or thrown away. 'The empty containers of expendable stores owned by merchants and native such as anti-dim compound must also

> Return of Equipment:-Divisional Officers must return Pennants, armlets and dry cells issued for the recent Blackout Exercise to this office as soon as possible.

> Attestation-Age Limit:-In future. no candidates under the age of 20 will be accepted for enrolment in the Corps. This order does not affect students of classes up to and including C 250, who will be accepted if of 18 years or more. Instructors must not admit any students to their classes unless they are assured that they are eligible as Wardens by reason of age. The names of any candidates under 20 years of age should be sent to A.R.P. Headquarters and special classes will be arranged for their instruction.

#### STRENGTH-DECREASE

Kowloon City: District Warden ing to Shanghai to make a report. "C" Leung Pui Tso, L.A.R.P.S. resigned as from Oct. 28; Shamshuipo:-H 2419 Miss Lau Sui Chung; Western:-H 1123 Chan Kong Bun, H 1153 Lo Wing Hang; Eastern:-H 913 S. Yusuf; Aberdeen:-H 1403 Liu Ching-wah, H 1404 Ngan Chit, H 1417 Law Hing, H 1421 Lo Long-him, 1425 Cheung Chung-sau, H 1416 Lo Hei-in, H 1422 Chan Yuk-fai, H 1430 Chun Bo-pak, H 1451 Wong Keekwong: Central:-Group Warden H 232 Cheung Po-man, H 281 Yeung Kai-yan, H 286 C. L. Wan. H 290 Yeung Au-wah.

Obituary:-The death of Warden 2338 Yick Chung-iu on the 15th ultimo is announced with regret.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Central:-Senior Warden H 338 Miss Helen Au is granted 3 months sick leave: Shamshuipo:-H 2001 W. Chin Fen is granted 2 months sick

APPOINTMENTS

The following appointment is notifled with effect from Noy. 6. Mr. W. G. M. Wilson, Repulse Bay Hotel (27775) to be Divisional Warden. PROMOTIONS

The following promotions are notifled with effect from Nov. 6, 1940:-· Bay View: - H 6 Ll Chun-sal to be Senior Warden; Eastern, to be Group Wardens:-H871 S/W C. K. Chung. H885 8/W Lam Yuet, H1377 S/W HL A. Bux; To be Deputy Group Warden:-H722 Chan Kam-sang; To be Senior Wardens:-H702" Au Chungshing, H994 Ng Ching-chee, H1470 Lau Wai-chun, H1359 Li Shik-kwan; Aberdeen, to be P.R.O. (Group Warden):-8/W H1409 Yu Hol-yuen, 8/W H1419 Lai Kwok-poon; To be R.C. (Senior Warden):-W. H1455 Chan Kim-ming, To be Deputy Senior Wardens):-H1448 Tam Hung-kwel, H1427 Chiu Shun-chun, H1443 Lew Chikwong: Shamshulpo, to be Group Wardens:-B/W H1960 Law Chunwah, 8/W H1958 In Shan-yunk, 8/W H1951 Fung Shing-lam; To be Senior Wardens:-H1952 Dep. S/W Cheung But-lau H1941 Taul Fook-cheung (Dep. 8/W), H1984 Dep. 8/W Wong Ting, H1931 Dep. S/W. Miss. Chair Yuen-wan, H1982 Dep. 8/W Wong Sik-kwong, H1943 Wong See-wah, H1928 Dep. S/W Ho Leung-tak, H1969 Dep. 8/W Li Hong-wing: To be Deputy Senior Warden:-H1934 Lui Kam-ping, H1926 Wong Shiu-him. H2006 Miss Chun Lai-ngor, H1975 Lo Kwan-wah, H2448 Tong Fook, H2002 Yau Yiu-fun, H2435 Ng Chuen, H1978 William Wong, H1927 Wong Chi-Temperature; minimum last night, wing, H1949 Miss Yung Sin-kwai:

(To be Continued)

Temperature, 80 F. Humidity, 82 per cent. Wind Direction E. Wind Force (Beaufort) .2. Maximum temperature, 83 F. M'nimum temperature, 73 F. Rainfall, nil.

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# PUBLIC AUCTION. TO GAOL

Alleged to be one of the eleverest women pick-pockets in Europe and an associate of a notorious gang of Continental thieves, petite Hennie Fenigstein, 35, who has been living in a flat in Alvington-crescent, Dalston, was sentenced by the deputy chairman of the London Sessions, Mr. A. W. Cockburn, K.C., to 12 months' imprisonment on a charge of being an incorrigible rogue loitering with intent,

possession.

It was revealed by Det-sergt. A. I steal from the baskets and hand Hearn that Fenigstein was born in bags of shoppers. Warsaw, and according to her own story, she was smuggled to watch, a necklet, and a bracelet, England just before the outbreak which the police believe to be the of war.

which port she landed, or to give the name of the ship which was supposed to have brought her

It was stated that she was well known to the police in Warsaw Paris, and Brussels, and she had twice been convicted in Britain.

SUSPECTED PERSON ,

At Marlborough-street, she was of her arrest on the present only her word for it that she had appeal against a sentence of three from Belgium as a stowaway. months for being a suspected per- She told the police she had an son, imposed at North London, income of £5 a week from

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

When arrested, two rings, proceeds of a burglary at Dorking She declined, however, to say at last September, were found in her

> Fenigstein's explanation was that she bought the rings in Foland years ago. The bracelet, from which hung five golden sovereigns, and the watch, she said, were given to her in Poland. and she had worn the necklet since she was 13.

ONLY HER WORD

When asked how a woman of sentenced to three months for be- this character had been able to ing a suspected person loitering land in this country and what was with intent to commit a felony her mode of living. Det.-sergt. and for larceny, and at the time Hearn stated that the police had charge she was on ball pending been smuggled to this country

The appeal has been abandoned, brother and a sister, who were Fenigstein was shadowed in living in Paris up to the time of Stepney by two police officers, who the German occupation, but there saw her make several attempts to was no confirmation of this.

Barometer. (at sea level). 30.00

Wind Direction W.S.W. Temperature; maximum yesterday

Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th today, 0.00 ina "L'otal" rainfall since January 1st 117.07 ins. Against an average of 82.72 ins

#### 'ASPRO' for Headaches and Neuritis

167 Union Street, Sirs, Erskineville, N.S.W I am an obstett's nurse, and long hours in all kinds of weather, and at times I have felt that I could not carry on. but thanks to the wonderful 'ASPRO' Tablets-which I am never without-I have had instant relief from Headaches and Neuritis.

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(Sgd.) NURSE ELDER

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#### Nerves were in a Terrible Way 'ASPRO' a Surprise

1 Garden Street, Middle Brighton, S.S.

Dear Sirs, a Last week I had 18 teeth out. and not being well my nerves were in a terrible way; in fact, I had to be taken home from the dentist. I went on for a couple of days in terrible pain with my head and eyes, due to my nerves, so I had to go to a doctor. On my way home I bought a packet of 'ASPRO.' I. took three and laid down, and to my surprise I woke up feeling lovely. Now, if I feel a slight headache at all I fly to my ASPRO. I think ASPRO should be in every home. I could mention a few more facts where ASPRO has done good in my home. Once wied always used.

Yours taithfully,

(Sed.) Mrs. H. VIVIAN

The following is the Return of notifiable diseases notified as having occurred in the Colony during the 24 hours ended a midnight on Nov. 5:- Cholera, five cases; Diphtheria, five cases; Enteric Fever, one case: Cerebro-Spinal Fever, one case; Dysentery, five cases: Tuberculosis, 24 cases.

#### From 7 to 13 Nov. 1940. Terms: Cash on Delivery LOW WATER. HIGH WATER. Hops H AUCTIONEERS.

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# Royal Observatory, Hongkong.

Temperature, 79 F. Humidity, 79 per cent " Wind Force (Beaufort), 1.

Sunset tonight, 5.43 p.m

Sunrise tomorrow, 6.31 a.m. 4 p.m., Nov. 6. Barometer (at sea level), 29.91 ins. WATCH ON

# Finance and Commerce

But again, figuring convinced

be obtained by fermenting starch,

could be obtained another hydro-

carbon, butadiene, a chemical re-

if this butadiene were allowed

to stand long enough, or if it were

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Indo-Chinas (Pref.).

Indo-Chinas (Def.) ....

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# RUBBER'S RIVALS

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Rubber does not grow many degrees above or below the Equator. So it happens that even an economically self-contained country like the United States or Soviet Russia must import huge quantities from the Far East, With the mechanization of warfare this dependence on plantations thousands of miles from Europe and America has worried the Great Powers for nearly a generation,

not in vain.

lative of isoprene

Tariff barriers, export taxes, the corn, and it cost only a cent a control of rubber prices by the pound. Rubber from potatoes! The British and Dutch complicated world was excited about the posboth the military and the in- sibility early in the century. dustrial problems. Even if the world were not at war or prepar- the financial backers of the cheming for it rubber has become indis- lists that this would be futile. More pensable,

Given such a background it is easy to understand why the synthesis of rubber should have lured chemists. They had seen vegetable and mineral dyes and colours displaced by exact synthetic counterparts, ilavours and perfumes compounded in vats, nature outdone

in a hundred ways. was alcohol, and from alcohol Why must rubber be carried in ships half around the world? Before any natural product can be synthesised it must be pulled apart chemically to find out how it is but together. heated in the presence of sodium.

#### "ISOPRENE"

it would heated in the presence of Chemists heated some raw rubsodium, it would turn into a gumber in a retort, which is nothing but a still. A liquid dripped out of my mass. It was not rubber, this mass, but it had many of the prothe open neck. "Isoprene" it was perties of rubber. called. In 1892 Tilden, a British chemist, announced that he had let isoprene-obtained from tur pentine-stand in bottles. He saw large, yellow floating pieces. They turned out to be rubber. Here was the clue to winning rubber from something other than a rubber

Chemically analysed, isoprene turned out to be a hydrocarbon. meaning a chemical combination of carbon and hydrogen. Any of the many alcohols is also a hydrocarbon but totally different. So is coal, so is turpentine, so is petroleum, so are many gases, and so, for that matter, is natural rub-

Re-arrange the atoms of hydrogen and carbon in one of the alcohols, coal, petroleum, and the trick of producing a rubber synthetic is performed. For years, the quest of synthetic rubber hinged on a cheap source of isoprene. To tap pine trees for turpentine was no better than tapping rubber trees for latex.

STARCH SUGGESTED

Starch was suggested. It could be obtained from potatoes and

## **ECONOMIC** RECONSTRUCTION **PROJECT**

#### 3-Day Conference At Chengtu

CHENGTU, Nov. 6 (Central)acconstruction in Szechwan and Sikong was thoroughly discussed at the three-day conference of Szechwan-Sikong Economic Reconstruction Commission which adjourned here yesterday.

Among the conferees were Gen-

\$921

eral Liu Wen-hui, Chairman of Sikong Provincial Governand General Ho Kuokwang. Secretary-General of the Szechwan Provincial Government. Generalissimo Chiang Kat-shek who is concurrently Chairman of the Commission, intended to be present but owing to pressure of his duties, he telegraphically instructed General Chang Chun, Secretary General of the Supreme National Defence Council, to preside at the conference on his behalf.

Over 70 resolutions were passed. One of the most important calls for the formulation of a comprehensive Szechwan-Sikong Economic Reconstruction Project based upon the Fundamentals of Szechwan-Sikong Economic Reconstruction drafted by Generalissimo Chiang, the 3-Year Szechwan Economic Reconstruction Project drafted by the Szechwan Productive Planning Commission and the Fundamentals of Sikong Economic Reconstruction drafted by the Bikong Provincial Government Another important resolution

calls for the establishment of a

Szechwan - Bikong Development

Corporation.

## Comparative Figures Of Air Losses

LONDON, Nov. 8 (Reuter)-During the week ending midnight November 2, it is confirmed that German aircraft losses in battles over Britain totalled 87, of which at least 13 were shot down during darkness."

In the same period, British losses were 27 aircraft and 11 pilots. Detailed figures were: October 27.—German, 13; Bri

October 28.—German, 7; British

October 29.—German, 32; British, fand would be required to cultivate 7. October 30.-German 9: British. potatoes to meet the demand for

rubber than was needed for rub- 15." October 31.—German, nil: Briber trees in the East, And land was not cheap in the more densely tish, nit. November 1.—German, 16; Bri. populated western part of Europe.

All this work with isoprene was itish, 7. November 2,-German, 10; Bri One of the compounds that could

#### HONGKONG SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Volume of Business Transacted on Wednesday, Nov. 6, 1946. SALES China Providents ..... 500

H.K. Hotels ..... 420

The total value is \$3,569.00.

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# The spirit that built the Panama Canal despite yellow fever and other tropical diseases and such natural cataclysms as the

Cucuracha slide has been revived to prepare the defences of the American life line. It can be sensed when the trains unloaded hundreds of workers, who are double-checked by alert guards into lock inclosures piled high with steel, crushed rock and other materials for reinforcement against air attacks and sabotage. It can be found in the new towns that have risen recently, in the jungles to house the men who are pushing with speed the construction of a third set of locks, writes C. H. Calhoun, The canal has been called the gates at the worst would only

AMERICA'S

sea or they might be land bases

in Central America or the north-

ern part of South America or

But already the canal has the

protection of established bases in.

THE AIR DEFENCES

The air defences at the canal

itself are strong. The Army has

two large air fields in the Canal

Zone and a large flying field at

Rio Hato in Panama, seventy-

five miles from the Pacific locks.

Another - field -on - the - Pacific at

Brujas Point will be the largest

and most up to date of all. There

are emergency fields at other

places in the Republic of Panama

known only to the air forces, and

islands in the Caribbean.

keystone of America's national lower the water in Miraflores Lake defence; therefore it must be as between the Pacific Locks, and, nearly impregnable as engineering once repairs were made, the lake skill and trained defences can could be refilled in two hours from make it. Providing for rapid the surplus in Gatum Lake through transfer of the fleet from one the Pedro Miguel Locks. The locks ocean to the other as defence probably rank next to the spillway needs may dictate is not the only gates in vulnerability. Damage, function of the canal. This from the air is one of the greatest waterway has become of vital dangers here. An effective air attack on the economic importance not only to the United States, but also to most | canal would have to be from bases of the countries of the hemis- not more than 1,000 miles distant, phere and to the world in general Such bases might be on carriers at

Closing of the canal would interrupt the exchange of commodities between the Eastern and Western seaboards of the United States and throw a burden that now average 7,000,000 tons of cargo a year on the transcontinental transport sys- Guantanamo, Puerto Rico and the tems. Exports to the Far East Canal Zone and of any part of the now passing through the canal fleet that may be available in the would add another 3,000,000 tons Atlantic, and soon that protection

will be increased immensely by the to this load. In addition to affording a quick new bases in the British West Inshuttle service for both the Navy dies. and the merchant marine, the Panama Canal provides a naval and military base halfway between the two continents of the hemisphere. Here is an outpost in Latin America from which early action can be taken against an enemy attempting to establish bases from which to launch an attack on the canal, or to invade an American country to conquer it.

#### A BRIDGE OF WATER

Physically, just what is this canal like? "The Panama "Canal is there is the air base of the Navy a bridge of water over which ships at Coco Solo. pass across the isthmus between In secret places concealed in the the North and South American isthmain jungles alert men will be Neghelli (Abyssinia) was attacked \$1915 Continents, south by east from the at listening and observation posts, for the eighth time by South Atlantic to the Pacific, This operating the huge mechanical African Air Force bombers and water bridge is thirty-three miles ears that pick up the drone of direct hits were scored on long, with a six-mile sea-level ap- aeroplane motors miles away, and, target area. proach from the Atlantic to Gatun if the attack is made at night, the Locks and an eight-mile ap- eyes of hundreds of searchlight proach from the Pacific to Mira- stations will flash across the skies. flores Locks.

The abutments of the bridge are these men is now in the hands of cribes the South African Gatun and Miraflores Dames, Lieut. Gen Daniel Van Voorhis. Force aircraft as "again busy on which impound the waters of the commander of the Panama Canal Nov. 3 and Nov. 4." Chagres and the Cocoli Rivers Department and a pioneer in the and surrounding watersheds. This mechanisation of the Army. That water forms the floor over which the men are already well trained continued and intensified, striving Ministry for Home Security comthe ships pass after they have been lifted eighty-five feet above Nevertheless, the training is to be means protection. sea level by the locks,

In the Gatun Dam spillway are fourteen heavy steel gates. This spillway is built of reinforced concrete in the form of an arc 808 feet long, with a concrete apronbelow. Each gate permits the outflow of 13,000 cubic feet of water

Defensively the spillway gates are the weak spots in the dams. But just how weak are they? The steel gates are very narrow and are not visible from any considerable height. It would be the sheerest kind of luck to harm these gates from the air. But suppose one gate, or two, or even all fourteen were damaged.

Weeks would elapse before the lake would be drained, and it cannot be assumed that in the event would make no attempt to plug Pedder Building. 2nd floor, Room 6. up the hole with the huge coffer dams that are always ready to be floated into place. Besides, there is a reserve storage of 22,000,000 cubic feet of water in Madden Lake.

THE DAM AT MIRAFLORES The dam at Miraflores has only eight solliway gates, as it impounds less than a billion cubic feet of water. Damage to these

## H.K. STOCK EXCHANGE

The market was quietly steady. BUYERS

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NAIROBI. Nov. 6 (Reuter) -

This was in addition to extensive reconnaissances over Abyssinia and Italian Somaliland, The responsibility for training states a communique which des-

# London Has Nightlong

LONDON, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-German air attacks on Britain were resumed shortly after darkness on Monday night. They were widespread and on a fairly heavy scale. London's alert lasted throughout the night but in the Midlands and southern Scotland the main attacks ceased shortly after mid-

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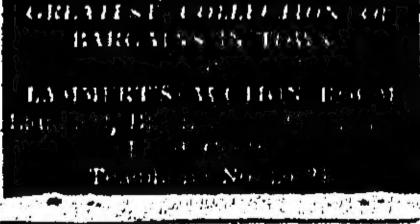
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# FOREIGN MARKETS &

#### MONEY AND **EXCHANGE**

CLOSING	QU	07	PATIONS
NOVE	IBER	6,	1940.

•	On	London:
		Telegraphic Transfer, 1/2 7/
	•	Bank Bills, on demand 1/27/
•		Credits 4 months sight
	On	Shanghai:
		On demand
	On	Singapore:—
		On demand 52 3/
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		On demand 105
	On	India:-
		Telegraphic Transfer.
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	,	Bank Bills, on demand 23 7/8
	4	Credius, 60 days' sight 23 3/
	On	Batavia:-
		On demand 42 5/8
	On	Paris:—
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Bank Bills, on demand Nom.

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On demand ...... 99 1/2

On demand :..... 45 3/4

On demand ...... 149 1/2

#### On Sterling Notes:-Bank Buying Rate ... Now. Bar Silver per oz. ...... 23 7 18

Market Report

On Salgon:-

On Manila:-

On Bangkok:-

FROM ROZA BROS The price for Ready Silver was unchanged yesterday but the Forward rate dropped 1/16 to 23.5/16 Silver advices reported Speculators as having sold to a small extent The market was quiet, The New York market was closed yesterday The London/New York cross rate was quoted at 402.1/2

MARKET Dull STERLING

No business was reported. The market closed with sellers at 1/2. 31/32 November/January, buyers at 1/3 for Cash

U. S. DOLLARS The market closed with sellers at 25.3/16 for Cash and 23.1/4 December, buyers at 23.5/16 for Cash SHANGHAI DOLLARS Some business was done at 382,

3/4. The market closed with s lers at 582, buyers at 382,3/4 AFTERNOON MARKET Sellers of Sterling for Spot 3.29/32 and U.S.\$ at 6.1/16.

#### Shanghai Exchange

Shanghai, Nov. 6 (Reuter) Official T.T. Rates Opening

	Lond	on	* 117	. 0/3-13/16
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			war garage	
			Sterling	
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			Opening	Closing
	Spot		0/3-29/32	0/3-59/64
	Nov.	9	0/3-29/32	0/3-59/64
		- 0		

Dec. ..... 0/3-57/64 0/3-29/32 U.S. Dollars Spot ..... \$6-1/16 \$6-3/32 Nov. ..... 6-1/16 6-3/32Dec. ..... 6-1/32 6-1/16Market:-Quiet but steady.

#### Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, Nov. 5 (Reuter) T.T. on Japan, 81-1/4:

#### SILVER MARKET LONDON SILVER

London, Nov. 5 (Reuter). Sliver-Little speculative selling Business small. Market quiet." In the afternoon the market was verquiet.

Spot, 23-7/16d. Forward, 23-5/16d,

BOMBAY SILVER Bombay, Nov. 5 (Reuter). Market Quiet. Offtake 50 bars Indian Mint Silver

Nov. 26 Settlement ...... 60-07 Dec. 27 Settlement ..... 60-08

#### LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

Price, £257-5/8 Tin. Standard, 3- months, -Middle Price, £259-7/8. United States demand quiet while British consumer demand Tientsin-Pukow. Rly. 5% absent.

Bar Gold, Fine per oz., 168/-

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#### COMMODITY MARKET t CO.)

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NEW YORK, November 5, 1940.	4	· !! .		) "
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SINGAPORE RUBBER	buvers b	nvers	Closing	Change
S.POT	. 38-3/4 3	8-5/8	38-3/4	unch.
JANMARCH	37-1/8 . 3	7 cts.	37-1/8 /	- 11
APRIL-JUNE	. 35 cts. 3	4-7/8	35-1/8	up 1/8
. The market was quiet but		, ,	4, 4	
LONDON RUBBER - " I	Previous close	Today	's close	**
	•buyers	bu;	yers .	Change
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DECEMBER	11-13/16	11-1	3/16	
JANUARY	11 7 /0	4.4 1/2	10	
FEBRUARY	. 11-15/16	11-7	/B	up 1/16
APRIL-JUNE	11-13/16	11-1	3/16	unch.
The market was dull and fe	at iirelese		- 0	

#### YORK COMMODITY MARKET

NOTICE: All American markets closed today Nov. 5 being Election

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

YORK, November 4, 1940.

	41. 4				Prev.	Coday's	1	
S			High	Low	Close	Close	Cha	nge
-	New York Cotton, Dec			9.58	9.60	9.65	.05	up
3.	New York Rubber, Dec.	*****	20.30	20,23	20.305	20,30		ich.
'S	Chicago Wheat, Dec		-	83₹	837	853	11	up
t,	Chicago Corn, Dec		607	593	597	601	_	up
W	New York Hides, Dec		12.58	12.42	12,45b		.10	
7.	NEW YORK COTTON	Close	Open	ing "	Closin	g ·	Cha	
•	Dec. (New contract) 8	9.60/60	9.60/	59	9.65 / 68	5	.05	up
0	January ( ,, ) 9	9.50 N	unqu	oted 1	9.55n		.05	
	March ( ,,, ) 9	9.58/58	9.56/	57	9.63 / 63	3	.05	up
	May . ( , ) 8	9.49/49	9.46/	46	9.55/5		.06	up
	July ( ,, ) 9	2.30/30	9.28/	28	9.36/36		.06	up
e	October ( ,, ) 8	3.8 <b>0</b> / <b>8</b> 0	8.79 /	79	8.84n	iger.		up
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į	NEW YORK RUBBER	4	dis.	*1	41			
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	March19	9.98b/20.00a	18.87	/88	19.81ъ		4	off :
	May 1	19.75b/80a	19.67	70a	19.65/6			οΩ,
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sel-	CHICAGO WHEAT		· · ·				****
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:	May	83#/83#	831/837	841/841	1	11	up
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4	CHICAGO CORN	. 10	· .		n-		
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	May	61/61	61/611	612/612		I	up.
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6	NEW YORK HIDES	44	1. 10 % 40		44.	1.12	
131	December		12.31b/55a	12.55/55		.10	up.
	March	12,12b	12.23/15	12.30/33		.09	up
	Total sales for the	day:-8	35 lots.	pz	,		_

## LONDON STOCK **EXCHANGE**

NY Official Silver ..... unquoted

NY London Cross Rate 4.03-3/4

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

London, Nov. 5. The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

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	War Loan, 31% (Red.
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_	1898 (Brit. Issue) 32 "
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n	1925-47
٧	Chin. 41% Anglo-French
	Loan, 1908 44
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	1912 13
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Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5%

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(Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan). 8 Tientsin-Pukow Rly, 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan) 8 Jap. 6% Ster Loan, 1924 214 London, Nov. 5 (Reuter). Ger. 7%: Intl. Loan. 1924 54 Chartered Bank ......... 87

#### LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LONDON, Nov. 6 (Reuter)-Under the influence of broadening activity, most prices on the Stock Exchange yesterday showed an upward trend. Kaffirs especially met with considerable demand

and registered numerous gains. Gilt-edged stocks continued to encounter good investment inquiry, oil attracted selective buying, and home rails and industrials showed marked appreciation in the final stages.

Wall Street was closed.

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H.K. & Shai Bank (Col.	
Reg)	67
Chinese Eng. & Mining.	1. 18 W
(bearer)	14/-
Chosen Corporation	
Pekin Syndicate	2/-
5'hai Elec. Constr. Co	15/-
Shai Waterworks "A"	
Union Insurance	20
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	13/9
BA. Tob. (bearer)	
Mercantile Bank	101
Dunlop Rubber	30/3
Bristol Aeroplane	9/41
Imperial Chemical Ind	27/0
United Steel	20/8
United Steel	<sup>2</sup> 58 %
Maraman Investments	7/8
Maraman Investments Western Holdings	19/18
Sub-Nigel	160
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(bearer)	35
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London-Midlands-Boot-	
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mer. Metals Co 17	National Distillers 201
mer. Radiator 71	National Lead 18}
mer. Rolling Mill 161	Nat. Power & Light 83
imer. Sting and Ring Co. 43	National Supply Corp 61
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Amer. Roll	ing Mill	161	Nat, Power & Light	
	g and Ring Co.		National Supply Corp	61
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	an Trans		Union Carbide & Carbon Union Pacific	761
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	y Signal		United Airlines Trans	
	Rubber		United Corpn	187
Glidden Co.		143	United Corpn. \$3 cum pf.	33 <u>7</u>
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	re & Co	18	U.S., Industrual Alcohol	221
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161	Nat, Power & Light	83 ,
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141	New York Central	147
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	Pan-American Airways	
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61	Texes Gulf Sulphur	341
651	Timken-Axle	
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	Union Bag & Paper Corp.	100
	Union Carbide & Carbon	761
	Union Pacific	84
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	United Airlines Trans	187
	United Corpn	21
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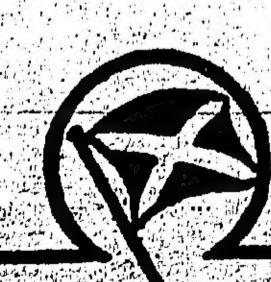
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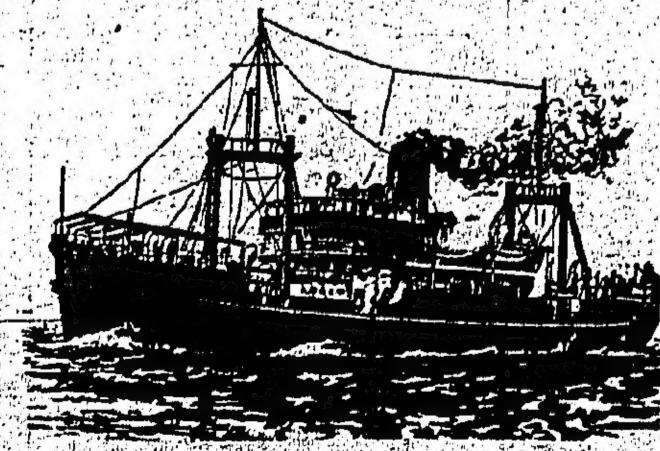
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## Conditions In Unoccupied France

Thousands Of Girls Destitute In Lyons

light is thrown on conditions in by means of armed force, any unoccupied France by an article in further attempts at violation Nyheter which says that the offi- our territory," states an official cial French figure of one and a communique issued here cupied territory only includes those of Monastir. registered and supported by the Government.

There are also a large number of refugees trying to support themselves and unregistered. They struggle against inhuman difficul-

The biggest refugee centre is Toulouse where, during the past months, 10,000,000 to 12,000,000 rerugees passed through. At present Toulouse's population is still 900,000 instead of the pre-war 250,000.

Thus all indispensable goods Italian such as food, medicine, clothes and bed-sheets are terribly scarce. The harvest was bad and communications very difficult.

French, Swedish and other relief committees try to find work for the refugees. Toulouse expects to have at least 70,000 refugees to Seizure ten of thousands of women and children.

The committees are organising entertainment, school and education. All nationalities are repre sented among the refugees-French German, Polish, Belgian, Czech and Jewish. "-

STATE-ORGANISED CAMP A half-hour trip from Toulouse, a State-organised camp shelters 500 women and 20,000 others are expected soon for which space has been found.

In Lyons there are about 12,000 agency. people evacuated or expelled from Alsace Lorraine.

assistance for 22,000 Paris girls aged 14 to 18 who are unable to support themselves

## ASSURANCES TO U.S. GOVT.

#### Control Of French: Colonies

WASHINGTON, Nov. 6 (Reuter) -Marshal Petain is believed to have assured the United States Government that France does not intend to give up to the Reich any part of the control - of her colonies.

General Benavita will be the new French Military Attache in Washington. He is expected to arrive with instructions concern-

ing Martinique. "The United States is unlikely to move until General Benavita has arrived.

Certain diplomatic quarters envisage an offer to the United States of an air and naval base at Martinique

## BOMBING OF MONASTIR

#### EXPERTS TO TRACE ORIGIN OF PLANES

BELGRADE, Nov. 6 (Reuter) -"The most severe measures have LONDON, Nov. 6 (BWS)-A grum been taken at once to oppose, the Swedish newspaper Dagens our frontier and attacks against half million retugees in the unoc- night in regard to the bombing

> The communique: states that 10 foreign planes dropped 21 bombs on the town which killed nine persons and wounded 21. Serious damage was also caused, the steamer.

commissions have been sent to rent establish by investigation on the spot the trace and origin of the effected by us in any case whatever. planes." Appropriate representations will then be made."

LONDON. Nov. 6 (Reuter) -Italian approval of the Spanish Commander's action in taking full control of the International Zone in Tangier is expressed by the official Italian news agency.

"As a Mediterranean Power Mr. Chen Kung-po, President which participated in the Tangier the Nanking Legislative Yuan, Statute, Italy has followed the has been appointed Mayor of course of events in Tangier with Greater Shanghai in succession sentiments of friendship towards to Mayor Fu Siac-en who was Spain," says the Italian news assassinated last month.

"Roman circles", it adds, "affirm. A difficult problem is also to find are to counteract French and the internationally known banker, work, clothes, food and spiritual especially British manoeuvres", Mr. Gates W. McGarran,

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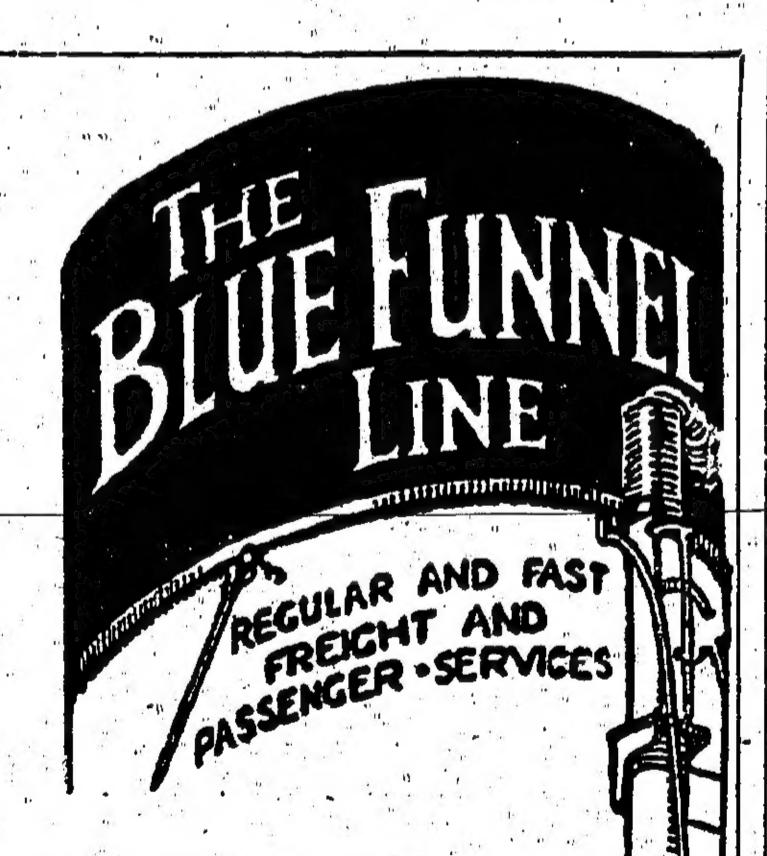
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His many friends will be glad to learn that Dr. T. Walter Ware. of the Government Medical Department, who has been suffering from an attack of typhoid and has been a patient in the Queen Mary Hospital for the last two months returned to his home yesterday.

The Hongkong Y's Men's Club meeting today will take the form of a Ladies' night at St. Francis Hotel at 7.30 p.m. Dr. Shaowen Lin, M.Sc., Ph.D., Government Biologist of the Marine Experimental Fisherv Hongkung, will address the meeting on "Marine Animals."

An Exposition of a collection of Chinese paintings by the "Four Monk Artists of Early Ching namely, Shih Tao, Fa Ta, Shih Tsi and Chien Chiang, under the joint auspices of the Association for the Advancement of Chinese Culture and the Sino-British Cultural Association will be held at the Fung. Ping Shan Library on Saturday, Nov. 16, 1940 from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Your presence is requested and friends will be welcome.

Mr. W. T. Stanton, the wellknown bullion broker of Hongkong has not left the Colony. as was inadvertently reported these columns yesterday

The marriage took place an Oct. 29, at the Union Church, Shanghai, by the Rev. C. Wilfred Allan, of Nonna Findley to Thomas Barry Barnes-Cooke.

The death occurred on Oct. 30 at the Shanghai General Hospital of Clara, aged 44 years, wife of A. J. Cupertino da Silva and mother of Nicky, David and Eddie. Funeral services were held on Nov. 2.

The engagement is announced between Arthur, son of the late shire, England, and Simone Suzan- Austin Seven on June 9 had a and Mrs. L. Macary of Shanghai. when the owner of the former

nounced of Mr. Leo Bard, elder \$916.48 being damage sustained by son of Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bard, the lorry to the extent of \$520,40 of Buenos Aires, to Luba, youngest and \$396 expenses and loss of prodaughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. I. fit when the vehicle was out of Katz, of Shanghai.

Mrs. McLaren, of Vancouver, 18, Shek Ku Lung Road. (Canada), to David James, son of the late Mr. Arnold Thomson and Mrs. Thomson, of Richmond, Sur-

The Model Aeroplane Contest will be held at the open ground Waterloo Road, Kowloon Tong, on Sunday, Nov. 10, at 16 a.m. The Canton University English Club has presented a Iuvenile. Aviation Cup to the winner of the contest.

The marriage took place or October 27, at Shanghai of Kitty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Ruben, of Shanghai, to Herbert, son of the late Mr. Bethold Becher and Mrs. Hewig. Becher; of Shangnat,

The death occurred at Shang-73rd year, compradore, Shanghai ing donations: Race Club, since June 1898. Previously acknowledged, \$5,660. could stand it. Many attended the cofflining and 870 Avenue Haig.

Bickerton, Organising Secretary of ples) 50. Foreign Auxiliary to the National Total: \$8,940: Red Cross Society of China The Subject will be "First Visit into China." All nationalities are wel-

Funeral services were held in Shanghai on Oct, 26 at The Community Church on Avenue Petain. for Mr. Ralph Lester Gregory. late of the Standard-Vacuum Oll Co., many of whose officials and staff members were present. Dr. noon resulted as follows:-J. L. Caughey officiated, assisted by Mr. R. V. Dent at the organ.

The engagement is announced Ailsa ...... 16.49.53 16.49.17 2 between Mr. James William Martin and the late Mr. Wm. Mar-daughter of Mrs. E. M. Bidwell, (Capt. R. W. Berridge). and the late Mr. G. S. V. Bidwell, Jean-D.N.F. (Capt. G. J. Tarr), also of Shanghai.

#### CONTRAST:

# THE GERMANS TODAY &

TWO STRIKING PICTURES of conditions among the people of Germany and Britain were given by two com-

The first speaker, an American, referred to a visit to Munich soon after France had signed what he described

"Herr Hitler had ordered a halted, Germany may go the way ten-day celebration," he said, and I expected to see the people dancing in the streets

"Instead the people were unmistakably sad, quiet and worried. could not understand it 'all and could scarcely believe the testimony of my own eyes. The scarlet bands bearing swastikas. which fluttered in the streets seemed to emphasize the melancholy. When German marched through the scarcely a head was turned. There were no cheers and people continued to go calmly about their

"In a great beer hall about 1,000 people sat silent and morosely. I expressed my surprise and the man to whom I put my question glanced up and said: 'We celebrated once, in 1914.

A DEAD LISTLESSNESS "This was the first of many surprises. "A dead listlessness spreading through Germany like a

# Custom's Pass Collision

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commission for 33 days.

The marriage took place on Oct. 1023, Canton Road, was represented 25, at All Saints Church, Tientsin, by Mr. D. B. Evans, while the deof Muriel Jean, only daughter of fendant was Chan Hing, of No.

CARRYING COFFIN

on its way to No. 7 cemetery in Germany which has just been Saikung. As it was travelling on described to you," he said, "but Custom's Pass Road and when Germany is not the only country mounting an incline, an Austin that is changed. Seven, driven by the defendant, was observed to be coming down the people of England were sad at a speed of more than 25 m.p.h. and slow. There was a general it was alleged by the lorry driver. feeling that the country was

ing damage, to the mudguard, the attitude. flung out and landed on the front mans have become sad and des-

Following evidence, the hearing action in London. was adjourned to Nov. 28.

The H.K. Jockey Club \$3,000, C. memorial services held on October Hall 20, Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau 25, London knew we were hitting 31, 1940, at China Funeral Home, W. Hewitt 10, S. Grove 5, F. Durell back. When that barrage opened Roberts 50. Francois D'Hardvilliers a new London awoke. There was 50, Prof. and Mrs. F. A. Redmond no gloom or despondency. Every the Y.M.C.A. 20, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Campbell night I have spent here convinces Discussion Group on Sunday, Nov. 25, Mr. and Mrs. F. Flippance 25, me that we shall win in the end. 10 at 9 p.m. will be Mr. Max H.K. & Shai Banking Corp. (Pop- If you believe in the spiritual

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True Blue ... 16.43.57 16.43.57 (Mr. R. A. Watson), (2/Lt. M. S. Banner). (Mr. C. C. Blake)

# -THE BRITISH TODAY

mentators in London last night.

as "a crippling armistice" with Germany.

"It was something deeper. They

ways been with them since 1914.

thought the war would soon be

over and almost invariably the

America will come in again and we

would all be over in three weeks.

As the weeks slipped into months,

this prophecy slipped into a

boomerang and now they say that

they are fighting the world's

strongest empire and that it will

"Every day of English resis-

tance has caused the Germans,

to say: 'Ah, it will never be

over. We shall have another

terrible winter-no food, no

heat and bombing every night."

THE TEMPER OF

THE BRITISH

The second speaker contrasted

these remarks with conditions in

England and what he described

as "the temper of the British

"I cannot understand this new

"For a long time before the war

"The previous speaker said that

pondent. This is not the re-

LONDON AWAKES

ing of war and then what we had

"Then came the barrage and

"There are two reactions

only—a determination that

London will hold out until the

battle is won and a very great

"There are few long faces:

am talking of the ordinary men,

women and children, those who

have been manning our civil de-

NO LONG PACES

carry on with their jobs.

anger.

"For months we had been talk-

take time to defeat it.

of France. This scourge has not yet infected the army, the Nazi Party and the Hitler Youth. "Never have I seen people with in celebrating this unpreceless elan. It was not fear or the dented "victory, damage being caused by British air raids, for the these raids at

that time were still on a small scale compared with those over could see no end to it. It had al Sometimes one could feel sorry for them. I asked them whether they answer was 'Ah no, it will go on. will have another terrible winter.

plague and if the contagion is not

#### hide me in your trunk; do any- Calthing." HITLER IS WORRIED When they shook hands they had the attitude of people re- sw maining in a desperate situation. A German speaking of Herr Hit- U.

people."

# BROUGHT BY

collision on Custom's Pass Mr. and Mrs. H. Hartley of York- Road between a lorry and an ne Clotilde, eldest daughter of the sequel before Mr. Justice Williams late Lieutenant-Colonel Destoup at the Summary Court yesterday vehicle brought an action against The engagement has been an- the driver of the car claiming for

The plaintiff, Ting Kam, of No.

The lorry was carrying a coffin

The latter stopped dead, but the drifting to war and there was car collided with the lorry caus- even a talk of degeneracy in our windscreen and other parts. One since the war started the Gerof the passengers on the car was of the lorry.

been talking about happened and The British Legion, Hongkong we have been bombed as we have hai on October 28, after a long & China Branch, gratefully ac- never been bombed before. We Illness of Hung Ye-fong in his knowledges receipt of the follow- wondered whether our nerves could take it and whether we

> factor of this war, you cannot believe in anything else.

"Poppy Day Fund."

The Sweepstake race of the fences, the people who quietly Yacht Club sailed yesterday after-Finished Corr. Pos.

"To be amongst them is a great privilege. No depression will be allowed to creep in. There will be Manila Macasser and Sourabaya..... much more anger and much more hatred but they are growing more determined to see that this will Straits, Ceylon, India, East, and South Africa and Reg. 14th 5.00 PM Meredyth Martin, son of Mrs. W. La Linda ... 16.51.05 16.51.05 3 never happen again.

"The people of Britain have awakened up and it will be a long time before they will call themselves degenerate again

#### FOREIGN MAILS

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#### INWARD MAILS

	"OH! THE PAPERS!"	From	, ,	Du	e	·
	"'But your papers say you are	Swatow		8th	Nov.	_
i	defeating England,' I said."	London and Straits.	. 1	9th	Nov.	
	"'Oh, the papers,' was the reply	Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Ser-	v			
	with a shrug of shoulders which	vice"—San Francisco date, 31et October		Sth	Nov.	
	gave expression to the unspoken	Sandakan		_	Nov.	•
۲,	thought that they could not be-	U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan, and Shanghai — (San	3.	n.	- 11	
, re	lieve their papers	Francisco date 19th October)		9th	Nov.	
٠	"The morning I left, the ser-	U. S. A., Japan and Shanghai (Seattle date 9th			4	
	vants of the hotel gathered round	October).	٠.	10th	Nov.	
	me and begged for the food	Australia and Manila			Nov.	. '
	stamps I had not used. One wo-	Java and Manila	3.0		Nov.	
	man said: Take me with you;	London and Straits			Nov.	
	hide me in your trunk; do any-	Calcutta and Straits			Nov.	
	ottiritie"	hir Mail by "Pan American Airways" Direct Ser-				
	HITLER IS WORRIED	vice." San Francisco date 5th November	j	12+b	Nov.	ű
	"When they shook hands they	Bandakan.	7		Nov.	
	had the attitude of people re-	Swatow		2.64		-
	maining in a desperate situation.	Swatow	ret.		Nov.	
d	A German speaking of Herr Hit-	U. S. A., Honolulu, Japan and Manila (San Fran-		TATE	Nov.	
	ler's last speech said: 'He is wor-	clean (date 75th October)		0011	AT.	1
Ì	ried; we can tell it by the way he	cisco "date, 25th October).		20th	Nov.	
	spoke.	Canada, U.S.A., Japan, and Shanghai(Vancou-				
	"Officials in Germany had con-	ver B. C., date, 2nd November).			Now.	
4	fidently assured them that it	Australia and Manila	21	26th	Nov.	
	would all be over in three weeks			-		-

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THURSDAY	
	Thu. 7th R.P.O. Reg. 5.00 rm Ord. 5.30 rm
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FRIDAY Manila, Batavia and Sourabaya	Frl. 8th 6.30 AM
	R.P.O. Reg. 4.00 PM Ord. 4.30 PM G.P.O.
Air Mail by Air to Rangoon to connect with the British Overseas Airways"	le Reg. 4.00 PM
SATURDAY  Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Zealand vi  Brisbane	Sat. 9th G.P.O. & K.P.O. Par. 8th 5.00 PM Reg. 9th 8.45 AM Ord. 9th 9.30 AM
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TUESDAY	Tues, 12th K.P.O.
Air Maii for Maniia, Guam, Honolulu, U.S.A., an Europe via "Pan-American Airways and Jrans Atlantic Services"	Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM G.P.O. Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 7.00 PM
WEDNESDAY	Wed. 13th K.P.O.
	Parcels 4.00 PM Reg. 5.00 PM Ord. 5.30 PM G.P.O.

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Par. 14th 5,00 pm